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Licenses Issued by a "Gambling Commission."

NEW YORK, March 9.—The agitation begun by several of the newspapers of this city against the resorts, gambling houses, pool rooms and policy shops, which it is alleged are multiplying and being conducted in defiance of the law, is the subject of a four-column article in the Times today, in which some startling statements are made.

It is claimed that from facts in the paper's possession it is learned that more than $3,000,000 is paid every year by the law breakers for the protection afforded them by the police and other powers of the city government.

"This enormous amount of money is handled by what is known among gamblers as the 'gambling commission,' which is composed of a commissioner, who is at the head of one of the city departments; two state senators, and the dictator of the pool room syndicate of this city, who was before the Mazet committee, and who is allied to Tammany hall," says the Times.

"This so-called commission meets weekly in the apartments of one of its members, not far from Forty-seventh street and Broadway. The money is not only apportioned at these conferences, but licenses to run gambling houses are virtually issued there.

"The request for opening a gambling house, large or small, and this includes pool rooms, is to go to the captain of the precinct. The request to be allowed to open is accompanied by the 'initiation' or 'introduction' fee of $300, and the captains tell the applicant that his case will be acted on in time. A week later the applicant is notified as to his fate. The matter has in the meantime been reported to the gambling commission, and the case passed on much as a board of governors pass upon the application of a man for club membership. If the application is favorably passed upon it is not done without an investigation, but that investigation tends for the most part to finding out the ability of the would-be member to pay his dues promptly, and whether he is a person who is to be relied upon. The captain of the precinct is responsible for that part of the matter. For his work therein he is allowed to retain the 'initiation' fee. From that time the little that comes in sticks to the captain's fingers. There are regularly authorized collectors, among them ward men and inspectors, but there is not much left before the money finally lands in the gambling commission's hands.

"The amount that is received is made up as follows: Pool rooms, 400 at $300 per month, $120,000, per year $1,400,000; crap games, 500 at $150 per month, $75,000, per year $900,000; gambling houses, 200 at $150 per month, $30,000, per year $360,000; gambling houses, large, 20 at $1,000 per month, $20,000, per year $240,000; envelope games, 50 at $50 per month, $2,500, per year $30,000; policy, $125,000; total, $3,095,000."

The above alleged facts are said to come from some of the owners of the larger gambling houses in this city who are incensed at the "gambling commission" for allowing so many houses and resorts to open, thereby cutting down the profits of the "big fellows," who are paying out more for protection than they can take in.

FORCED TO CONFESS.

Charge Made by Charlestown's Alleged Firebug.

BOSTON, March 9.—Nicholas J. Canfield, the alleged firebug who was arrested yesterday afternoon on suspicion of having set the fires in the hay and grain sheds of the Boston & Maine Railroad Company during the past few days, was arraigned before Judge Gregg in the Charlestown police court this morning. Canfield, who is 18 years of age, pleaded not guilty to the charge, and stated that he had been forced to sign an alleged confession when he was examined in the fire marshal's office yesterday afternoon. The court found probable cause and held him in $5,000 for the April term of the grand jury.

SPECTATORS ANGRY.

Desperate Riot as a Result of Failure of a Bull Fight.

CHICAGO, March 9.—A special to the Chicago Record from Austin, Texas, says: A desperate riot, which nearly resulted in the lynching of several bull fighters, took place at San Luis Potosi, Mexico. The affair is described in a letter which reached here today as follows:

The bull fight of Sunday afternoon, under the leadership of Jose Marrero of Havana, with seven assistants, proved a failure. Five arrogant and valiant bulls had been promised. The first bull led out put up a little show of resistance and was killed, but not one of the others would fight at all. The audience began to hiss and groan, and threw oranges, lemons and stones into the ring. Finally, the disappointed audience tossed the chairs and benches into the ring, and then set fire to the pile. This stopped the performance. But this exhibition did not satisfy the belligerents, who laid violent hands on the bull fighters and were in the act of lynching them when the police interfered.

Coal Deposits Near Dawson.

VICTORIA, B. C., March 9.—Steamer Cottage City, from Alaskan ports today, brings news of excellent coal deposits on Rock Creek, 19 miles from Dawson, with 8,000 tons ready for the market.

Preparations are already beginning for the spring clean-up in the Yukon district and about 100 travelers are weekly going down the river to Nome.

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KRUGER ASKS FOR AN ARMISTICE.

His Advances Emphatically Rejected by Lord Salisbury.

Offer Makes No Concessions and Regarded as a Ruse to Gain Time.

LONDON, March 9.—Late this afternoon it is learned that the peace rumors were founded on the fact that President Kruger has appealed to Lord Salisbury for a cessation of hostilities, offering at length, by cable, the terms which he is willing to accept. These, however, are not taken seriously, as they include practically nothing more than what the Transvaal government offered prior to the issuing of the British ultimatum. Official circles here regard the propositions as merely a ruse of the Boers to gain time, and do not consider that President Kruger is yet ready to consider the sweeping demands which Great Britain will make as reimbursement for the loss of life and great expenditure.

It is understood that President Kruger's advances have met with an emphatic rejection at the hands of Lord Salisbury, who is believed to have said that no such attempt to retain the independence of the Transvaal can be considered for a moment by the British government.

ROUT COMPLETE.

Presidents Kruger and Steyn Could Not Rally Their Troops.

LONDON, March 9.—The war office has received the following despatch from Lord Roberts:

"Poplar Grove, Friday morning—Presidents Kruger and Steyn were both present at the fight of March 7 and did all in their power to rally their troops. The rout, however, was complete, the men declaring that they could not stand against the British artillery and such a formidable force of cavalry."

SIGNS OF PEACE.

Individual Demoralization of the Boers Portends Disintegration.

LONDON, March 9.—From various quarters come signs of the possibility of peace in South Africa being shortly within the bounds of practical politics. All the despatches from Lord Roberts's headquarters, including those of the commander-in-chief himself, indicate the lack of a guiding spirit among the Boers and individual demoralization, portending disintegration unless speedily stemmed.

The flight of the burghers from Poplar Grove, according to all accounts, was wholly inglorious. A Times despatch from Poplar Grove under yesterday's date goes so far as to assert that the Boers' rout was so complete that the submission of the Free State is being demanded by the burghers from their unwilling president, and it is expected that its submission will be made within a week. The correspondent adds:

"Probably the Boers' wisest course was flight, but it was most undignified and is certain to produce consternation at Bloemfontein. There is a growing outcry against any further identification of the Free State with the Transvaal's interests."

Despatches from the Boer camp at Glencoe, via Lourenzo Marquez, depict President Kruger as donning a bandolier, seizing a rifle and inviting volunteers to accompany him, as he wished to have a shot at the enemy himself.

President Kruger is also quoted as having declared in his address to the troops that he did not know whether arbitration or intervention would end the struggle, but that it would end quickly; within the next month, he strongly believed.

In the meantime the British are not delaying their advance. Lord Roberts has moved 10 miles nearer Bloemfontein, evidently with the view of seizing and utilizing the railroad, possibly to reach the Free State capital in three or four days, whence he may begin repairing the railroad southward, meeting the British advance from Cape Colony, which may be expected to be hastened as soon as General White takes control. The British occupied Jamestown, unopposed, Thursday, and the Boers are reported to be retreating beyond Aliwal North, so that Cape Colony is practically clear of armed Boers.

Re-inforcements from Natal are going to Lord Roberts. General Warren's division and some artillery have already been ordered to join the commander-in-chief, so that the latter is preparing for all eventualities, including possible desperate opposition to his crossing the Vaal river and the necessity of the siege of Pretoria, where thousands of natives are reported to be employed in the construction of defensive works, concerning which such secrecy is maintained that no one is allowed to walk or drive on the outskirts of the town.

Mr. John Redmond's speech in the House of Commons yesterday does not meet with unqualified approval in Ireland, whence the Irish Transvaal committee telegraphed to Mr. Redmond: "We challenge you to come to Dublin and repeat in public the statement you made in the House of Commons in the name of the Irish people."

The Prince of Wales this morning inspected Paget's horse and Dunraven's sharpshooters, attached to the imperial yeomanry, prior to their departure for South Africa.

BEARING THEIR TATTERED FLAGS

Naval Brigade from Ladysmith Wildly Cheered at Durban.

DURBAN, March 8.—The naval brigade from Ladysmith, numbering about 200, arrived today in command of Captain Lambeton. They were enthusiastically received. The railway station was lined with men from H. M. S. Terrible, and the meeting of comrades caused many a touching scene. When the gunners, who played such an important part in the defense of Ladysmith, marched down the street, headed by the band and flags of the Terrible and carrying the tattered Union Jack from the H. M. S. Powerful, which had flown throughout the siege of Ladysmith, the cheering was enormous. The crowd which assembled was tremendous.

Lunch was prepared and served in a shed adjacent to the railway station and the men ate heartily. The majority of them looked well, but showed signs of the rough work and fatigue they have undergone. Their uniforms bore many tokens of the wear and tear to which they had been subjected. After lunch, headed by Captain Percy Scott, the naval commandant at Durban, the men marched to the place of embarkation for Simonstown.

The New British War Loan.

LONDON, March 9.—The amount of the new war loan will be £30,000,000. The interest will be at 2¾ per cent and the bonds will be redeemable at par May 5, 1910. The issue price is 99,810s.

DEBS AND HARRIMAN.

Confirmed as the National Ticket of the Social Democrats.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 9.—For President—Eugene Victor Debs of Indiana.

For Vice President—Job Harriman of California.

This is the national ticket of the Social Democratic party, which by agreement will absorb the Hillquit-Harriman faction of the Socialist Labor party.

The convention, in agreeing to unite with the Socialist Labor faction, retains the party name—Social Democratic party. The candidates and the amalgamation are to be approved by a majority of each party, according to the referendum.

Mr. Debs had previously refused to accept the nomination but finally succumbed to persuasion. It seems that Debs has been applying his earnings to the extinction of a debt against the American Railway Union and that he did not want to cease until the debt was paid. The debt amounted to several thousand dollars. Debs received assurances that the debt would be taken care of and that he would receive a rest of three months before entering the Presidential canvass. At this morning's session of the convention the nominations of Debs and Harriman were confirmed.

SLIGHT CHANGE FOR THE WORSE.

Professor Phelps Growing Weaker, and Death Imminent.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 9.—The condition of Professor E. J. Phelps, former minister to England, was unchanged at noon today, except that the patient is slowly losing strength.

There was a slight change for the worse in the condition of Professor Phelps this afternoon. The official bulletin issued by the attending physician states that the patient is growing weaker; his death will probably not occur for two or three days, but no surprise will be occasioned if he dies tonight.

HIGHEST FOR TWENTY YEARS.

Another Advance of Twenty-Five Cents in the Puddling Rate.

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, March 9.—At the bi-monthly wage conference yesterday between representatives of the amalgamated association and the iron manufacturers, an advance of 25 cents a ton in the rate for puddling was agreed upon. The rate will now be $6 a ton, the highest paid since 1880. This will mean an advance in the finishing department also of about four per cent. The rate for puddling is now 50 per cent higher than in 1895, and for finishing an advance has been 37 per cent since that time. About 20,000 men are affected by the advance.

Death of a Member of Parliament.

LONDON, March 9.—Sir Charles Hall, member of Parliament for the Holborn division of Finsbury, died today, aged 58 years.

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Russia Could Not Oppose Both Afghanistan and India.

LONDON, March 9.—The Ameer of Afghanistan has authorized his agents in London to publish the following statement of the policy of Afghanistan towards Great Britain and Russia. After saying that he had devoted much anxious thought to the possibility of Russia taking advantage of the Transvaal war to advance through Afghanistan on India, His Highness adds:

"I have come to the conclusion that Russia feared Afghanistan, as a war with the Afghans would mean a general rising of all Islam, which would spread through Russian-Asia. Russia had not troops enough to combat such a rising. Her hold on the Mussulman countries she has conquered is insecure. They hate her, and with 10 times her power Russia could not fight Afghanistan and India successfully. The Afghans prefer death to slavery and their women and children are being taken by the Russians."

After saying he is willing to send numerous troops to help Great Britain in the Transvaal, but adding that the Afghans are unaccustomed to the sea, he adds: "But England's troubles are always my troubles, her strength is my strength, and her weakness is my weakness. England must remember that I am always ready to fight for her on land, here or in India."

CAPTURED SPANISH PRISONERS.

An Officer, Sixty Enlisted Men and Two Civil Officials.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—The War Department has received the following from General Otis:

"Manila, March 8. Adjutant General, Washington: Officer, 60 enlisted men, two civil officials, captured Spanish prisoners, received today from Tayabas."

MOORE SET FREE.

Sentence of the Boston Bank Teller Revoked in Chili.

SANTIAGO DE CHILI, March 9, via Galveston—The supreme court has revoked the sentence of Frederick T. Moore, ex-assistant teller of the National Bank of Commerce of Boston, and he has been set free. Moore was arrested in October, 1899, in Valparaiso, on the charge of embezzlement. The court of first instance of Santiago de Chili acceded to the proposal to extradite Moore in January and the latter immediately appealed to the supreme court.

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FRENCH CHECKED.

Boer Position Turned Before British Main Body Could Strike.

LONDON, March 8.—The Standard publishes the following despatch from Poplar Grove:

"The movements of the mounted men were somewhat too rapid for the supporting infantry, and as a result the Boer position was turned before the main body could strike effectively.

"The Boers fell back precipitately and, extending to the southeast, they checked the advance of the British cavalry with a heavy rifle fire at 800 yards range. Accordingly General French moved southward and outflanked them again, but the Boers repeated their tactics."

A despatch from Osfontein, March 7, says: "Lord Roberts's movement today again thoroughly surprised, outwitted and outmanoeuvred the Boers, who fled almost without firing a shot. The plan of battle was as follows:

"General Colville's division extended along the north bank; General Tucker held the centre reserve, and the guards brigade had the centre advanced; General Kelly-Kenny's division was ordered to make a huge flanking movement on the Boers left, following General French, who was instructed to move southeast until opposite the Boer flank, and then swing around the rear.

"Every movement was admirably executed and entirely successful. The Boers were surprised, as was evident from the state of the deserted camps. Twice the British cavalry were almost in a position to charge, but they admit that they were foiled by the manoeuvering of the Boers.

"When last seen, General French was pursuing the enemy rigorously. He was between them and Bloemfontein, about 11 miles from the right wing.

"General Colville merely demonstrated against a high mountain occupied by the Transvaal troops who are now fleeing in consequence of the flight of the Free Staters south of the river.

"It is impossible at present to give the Boer numbers, but it is estimated that they reach 14,000, all of whom are now in flight."

A Boer camp, Biggarsburg, despatch says: At a general council of war Louis Botha was appointed lieutenant-general for Natal, and Lukas Meyer, Schalk Burger, David Joubert, Daniel Erasmus and J. Fourie were appointed major-generals. The selections have given lively satisfaction to the burghers.

President Kruger, according to a special despatch from Bloemfontein, addressed a crowd of people and said:

"Although God is testing our people my personal opinion is that the limit of the test is nearly over. If the people are sustained by faith in the time of adversity, God will soon again turn the tide in our favor. If we have strong faith in God, he will surely deliver us. The God of deliverance of the olden time is the same God now."

The speech of the year old president brought tears to the eyes of men and women alike.

The Free State Volklied (national anthem) was then sung. The visit of President Kruger has done much good and has cheered the despondents.

President Kruger, more recently, has been visiting the commandoes south of Bloemfontein.

Fighting is proceeding at Mafeking. All the outside forts except one have been taken by the Boers.

Much satisfaction is expressed in all circles at the courtesies extended to General Cronje by the British.

TRUSTS BARRED.

Amended Ship Subsidy Bill Ordered Reported to the House.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—The House committee on merchant marine and fisheries held an extended session today, with a view to completing the shipping subsidy bill, which has been under consideration for some time.

By a vote of 10 to 5 the bill was finally ordered reported, and Representative Grosvenor, chairman of the committee, was authorized to submit the report. Mr. Grosvenor summed up the results by saying the committee had agreed to the amendments in the Senate bill, and also a few other new amendments. On the final vote all the Republican members favored the bill as amended and all the Democrats opposed, except Mr. Chandler, who did not vote.

Mr. Stevens's anti-trust amendments were agreed to. As summed up by him they are as follows: "That any vessel or owner of a vessel entering a trust to increase the price of export freight or in restraint of export trade shall cease to draw compensation under this bill."

The second provides substantially: "That any combination or conspiracy of shipyards engaged in building vessels for compensation under this act is declared illegal, and upon proof of combination or conspiracy of shipyards having a capacity of one-third of the new tonnage of the United States, the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to admit foreign built vessels to take the place of new vessels constructed under this act, except that such new vessels shall not enter the coastwise or lake trade."

Another amendment agreed to, which is not in the Senate bill, reduces the bounty five per cent annually after 10 years.

Mr. Fitzgerald of Massachusetts, the ranking Democrat of the committee, offered a "free ship" amendment, which was defeated, although all the Democrats and Messrs. Jones of Washington and Fordney of Michigan voted for it. Another amendment by Mr. Fitzgerald, giving until 1901 for the American registering of ships purchased abroad, was supported by the Democrats and Mr. Jones, but was also defeated.

The Democrats of the committee will submit a minority report opposing the bill as reported.

HARRISON NOT IN IT.

Has No Desire to Live in the White House Again.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 8.—The News this afternoon says: "It is said by intimate friends of General Harrison that he is chagrined that his name should be so freely used in the newspapers of the country in connection with public questions now under consideration, and especially as an opponent of the administration.

"One man who is near the former President said today: 'You may say that if General Harrison had any thought of reentering politics—which he has not—he would not make his reappearance by criticising the administration. The fact is that General Harrison's mind has not changed since he had retired from the Presidency. He said at that time that he had retired from politics to stay, and it is stated that he has never had the least desire to re-appear before the public as an aspirant for re-election to the Presidency.'"

ANOTHER HAY SHED FIRE.

Work of an Incendiary, Who is Now in Custody.

BOSTON, March 8.—For a third time this week the large hay sheds of the Boston & Maine railroad, on Rutherford avenue, Charlestown, rented by them to various firms, were visited by fire, this afternoon, when the long No. 2 shed in which were stored 85 carloads of baled hay was almost wholly burned, together with four loaded freight cars and an adjoining building occupied by E. A. Gillette & Sons, carriage manufacturers.

The losses will aggregate $25,000, divided as follows: Boston & Maine Railroad Company, $8,000; E. L. Gillette & Sons, $5,000; William Leavitt, hay, $7,000; Gilman, Smith & Co., hay, $5,000.

There were nearly a dozen men at work in the buildings when the fire started, although at some distance from the place where it was discovered. A large gang of men was also at work overhauling hay which had been partially burned in No. 1 freight house opposite Tuesday, while nearly 100 boys were playing about the freight yards.

The mystery surrounding the three fires in the company's hay sheds within the past four days, by which $75,000 worth of property has been destroyed, has been partially cleared away by the confession of Nicholas J. Canfield of Charlestown, who was arrested during the progress of this afternoon's fire on suspicion of having started the blaze. Canfield, who is 18 years old, tall, strongly built and of slovenly appearance, seemed to be around at all times and did odd jobs, such as clearing away burned hay from the ruins of the previous fires.

The officers took him into custody and brought him to the fire marshal's office to explain his conduct. He was reticent at first, but finally admitted that he set the hay on fire. He said he did it because he was tired of looking for work, and as he had made 25 cents yesterday loading teams, he thought it would give him another chance for work.

Although Canfield denied that he set Monday's and Tuesday's fires, there is a very strong feeling in view of all the circumstances that he was responsible for them. He will be arraigned in court tomorrow.

The prisoner's mother lives in Charlestown, but has had nothing to do with her son since he was five years old. At that time he was taken by the State Board of Lunacy and Charity and sent to a farm in New Hampshire, where he remained until about a year ago. Since then he has been around Charlestown penniless and unable to obtain work.

WOMEN AND BAD PLAYS.

Upon women, the responsibility of countenancing or discountenancing plays of this class rests with peculiar weight. Many a woman goes to the theatre without knowing what kind of a performance is to be given, and stays through it when, if she followed her own inclinations, and were true to the traditions of her bringing-up—traditions on which the home-life of this country, the very root of our national life, is built—she would leave the house in indignation and disgust. In the case of the proposed production of "Sapho," no such situation can arise. The woman who goes to it goes knowing that she is giving her countenance to a performance whose only capital consists in its unsavory notoriety. We do not believe that any Baltimore woman will allow herself to be placed in that position. We do not believe any Baltimore gentleman will offer to any lady the insult of inviting her to do so.—[Baltimore News.

MIDDLETOWN.

[Regular correspondence of the News]

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union met with Mrs. Joseph L. Chace on Turner road this afternoon.

Miss Orrel Peabody is visiting her cousin, Miss Gertrude Braman, in Newport.

Mr. and Mrs. Prescott Molden entertained Wednesday evening.

Mr. William V. Hart is confined at home by illness.

Mrs. James T. Peckham visited her sister in Newport yesterday.

Mrs. Abbie Surry is visiting her sister, Mrs. Alden P. Barker. For some years she has resided in Bridgeport, Conn., but will in the future live in Middleboro, Mass., where her husband has gone into business.

PORTSMOUTH.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

Mrs. Israel H. Orswell, Mrs. Atwell F. Hedly and Mrs. David B. Anthony spent Thursday in Somerset with Mrs. Stephen Durfee, who is in very feeble health. Mrs. Orswell and Mrs. Hedly, mother and sister of Mrs. Durfee, brought the youngest child, an infant, home with them.

Mrs. Willard S. Brayton is quite ill with the grip. Mr. Brayton, though better, is not able to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. Coomer A. Easterbrooks have taken a house on Bath road, Newport. That portion of their household goods which has been stored here for the last three years, while they were domiciled at Price's neck, was taken to their new home Wednesday.

Mr. Frederick U. Tallman and Mrs. Tallman of Bristol are guests of Mrs. William F. Freeborn and other relatives.

Mr. Perry Chase of Fall River, who recently bought the mill and house lot on Quaker hill, has moved some of his effects here and stored them preparatory to building.

Miss S. J. Eddy and Mr. B. A. Ballou were in town Wednesday visiting "Wil-Brook," where extensive improvements are being made under Mr. John E. Manchester and a corps of workmen.

A Democratic caucus was held Thursday evening at the home of Mr. Frank B. Tallman.

Mrs. J. M. Eldredge's dancing class was largely attended Wednesday evening, quite a delegation being present from Nonquit Grange, Tiverton and from Fall River and Newport in addition to the regular class.

Mrs. Abner P. Lawton is improving, and Mrs. Burke, whose trip to New York has been deferred on account of illness, is much better. The Bristol Ferry road seems to be having more sick people upon it than any other section of the town.

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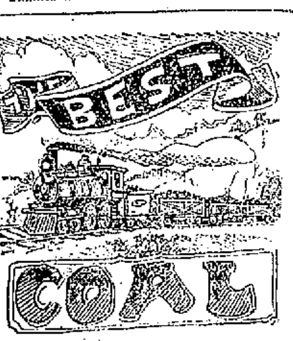

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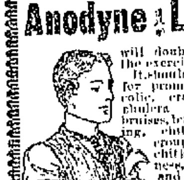

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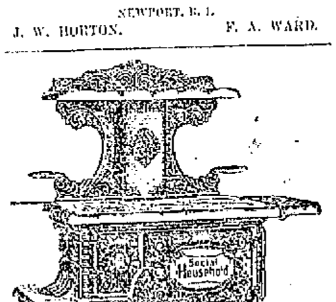

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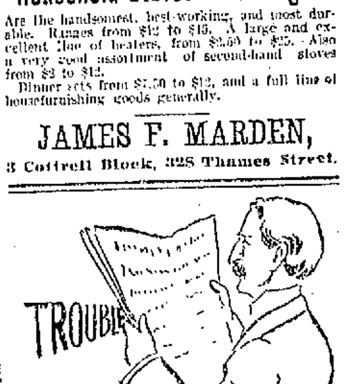

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HOSPITAL VISITING DAY.

Buildings of the Institution Found in Excellent Condition.

Value and Importance of the Work It is Doing in Newport.

In response to the invitation of the trustees of the Newport Hospital for an inspection by the public of that institution, there were many of the people of Newport who visited and inspected the hospital between 3 and 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon, and all found numerous features of interest. Many for the first time saw the admirable accommodations and equipment for the care of the sick and disabled, and were greatly surprised and exceedingly gratified with the conditions observed. Miss Pickett, the superintendent; the members of the board of trustees, and the nurses whose duties permitted, were on hand to receive visitors and show them the various wards and their individual equipment. Every portion of the hospital was open to inspection and all were given an opportunity to see for themselves the working day routine of the institution. The trustees, who had constituted themselves a reception committee, explained the many novel and interesting features in the construction of the buildings and in the various equipments for the care and treatment of those placed under their charge. After the visitors had completed their inspection they were invited into the large room in the administration building, where chocolate and cake were served by two of the nurses, assisted by a committee of ladies.

The hospital was found to be first-class and up-to-date in every respect and it was the universal opinion of the visitors that Newport is indeed favored in having such an institution open to its injured and suffering. One feature, perhaps, above all others, which impressed the guests was the absolute cleanliness and neatness in everything. There was not a particle of dirt anywhere, and indeed the construction of the building is such and the furniture is of such construction that there seems to be no opportunity for dirt or dust to remain, even if it finds a temporary place for lodgment.

The general plan of the several wards which comprise the hospital is such that there is no upper story in the new construction, except in the isolated building. All are on one level and connected in the rear or front with a covered corridor, which is enclosed, with large windows on either side, making a connected system of buildings, each of which is complete in itself.

There are two large wards, which extend from the corridor south towards Powel avenue. One of these, for men, is known as the William and Martha Litchfield ward, and the other is the Ledyard hospital for women and children, the latter named in honor of the late Henry Ledyard, who was the first president of the hospital. These building are similar, containing one large ward accommodating 20 beds, with a large open fireplace in the centre. There are in addition rooms for nurses and two separate wards for the isolation of cases. Each has a lavatory, which is connected and yet cut off from the ward, so that no bad air can reach them. On the south end of each, reaching across the end of the building, is a convalescing room, with glass front, in which patients can rest and receive plenty of air and sunshine. In all the rooms iron and glass have taken the place of wood in the construction of the furniture, to better secure cleanliness. The beds and tables in the main ward, and the medicine cases, are of iron, and the white paint gives them an attractive appearance as well.

In the rear of the corridor are two smaller buildings, one on either side of the old hospital, which serves as an administration building. One of these is the Vanderbilt surgical building, the gift of Mrs. Frederick W. Vanderbilt, and the other the H. R. A. Carey memorial ward, the gift of Mr. Arthur Astor Carey. In the surgical building there is everything that can be desired for the performance of operations and the preparation and care of patients before and afterwards. The operating room, a large room on the west side, is fitted with the most approved apparatus for the work of the surgeons. The operating table is of iron and glass, the invention of Dr. Clement Cleveland, and the other apparatus is of the latest pattern.

Directly across the corridor are the surgeons' room and the apparatus room, which is equipped with a large number of instruments for use in the various cases brought to the hospital. There is also a sterilizing room, where all the clothing is disinfected and thoroughly cleaned; a room for preparing the patient before and after an operation, rooms for the nurses, and every convenience which science and care can suggest.

The H. R. A. Carey building is for the use of private patients, and is fitted up with large wards and conveniences of every kind for their care.

The laundry is in a small brick building apart from the others, but so located that it can be connected with the main corridor of the hospital when other buildings are erected and the general plan fully carried out. In this building all the clothing used in the hospital, by either patients, nurses or attendants, is washed and ironed. In the basement is a small room where the clothing is sorted, and a larger room where it is washed and dried in a drying apparatus. On the other floor is a large room for the ironing of clothes. In this, as in the other parts of the hospital, everything is as neat as wax, the brass work over the tubs highly polished, and the slate tubs are thoroughly cleaned and dried after each washing.

The latest building to be constructed is the pathological building, which is apart from the others to the westward, and nearest Broadway. It is of brick and of two stories. On the lower floor are two rooms for the performing of autopsies and the care of bodies: and in the upper story is the laboratory, where Miss Miles analyzes the food provided for the hospital and conducts experiments in foods for the instruction of the nurses. This laboratory was planned by the late Medical Inspector Siegfried, and was equipped in accordance with his suggestions. It is provided with facilities for bacteriological and pathological examination and research and is a very important feature in the conduct of the hospital. Here the milk which is provided is tested, and investigation made of food supplies, and the nurses instructed in the qualities of the various foods, to better fit them for their work in the care of the sick.

The old wooden building, which occupies the centre of the group and was formerly the hospital proper, is now used as an administration building and will be so used until the trustees are able to construct another building which will be better adapted to the needs of the institution. Here are the reception room and office of the superintendent, a large room which is fitted to be used as a children's ward and another large room used as a linen room. The upper stories are used by the superintendent for various purposes.

There is another building, not connected with the general plan, the Peckham cottage, which is used as a nurses' house, and still another, the Mitchell cottage on Friendship street, which has several rooms fitted for the care of delirium tremens cases, and several other rooms for the out cases, where Drs. Harvey and Powell each week treat a large number of cases for eye and ear diseases.

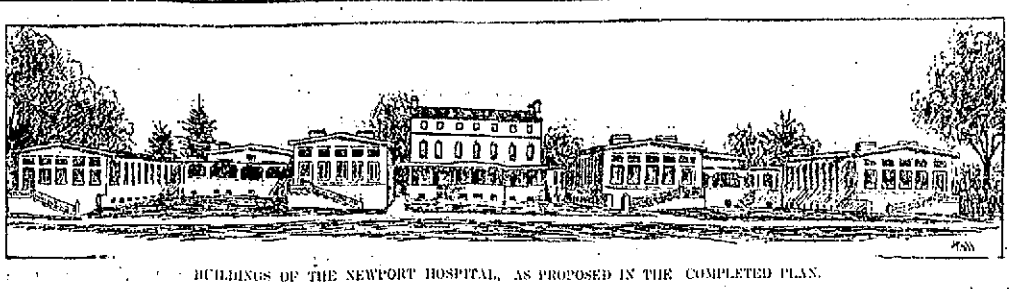
In the plumbing and heating arrangements the hospital is equipped with the most approved apparatus. The piping is everywhere exposed and easily accessible for cleaning or repair, both in the buildings themselves and in the cellar. The heating system is combined with that for ventilating, so that only the most beneficial results are obtained, and wholesome air is provided for the various parts of the buildings at all times. The furnaces are so placed that there is no noise under the several wards, and the least danger from fire in the occupied portions of the buildings. The cellar is high and dry, well lighted and ventilated, and evidently the same care regarding its sanitary condition is taken as in the buildings. In fact there is apparently nothing left undone to make and keep the entire plant in the best condition for the care of the sick and unfortunate who may be placed in the hospital.

Besides its primary object of caring for those who may be brought to the hospital, other work of an equally valuable nature is being carried on under its management. The training school for nurses is an important feature and in this department the pupils have a regular course of study, both in the common branches, such as English and arithmetic, and in others more particularly connected with the profession. This course includes lectures by the hospital corps of physicians and frequent examinations.

The work of the district nurse is one that appeals more particularly to the poorer classes in the city, among whom the nurse assigned to this duty makes regular visits and gives a care which they would be unable to provide for themselves. In addition, the other nurses may be engaged to make regular visits to sick outside the hospital, at very much smaller cost than would be charged for trained nurses who devote their entire time to a case. This branch of the hospital work is one that will be appreciated by those in need of trained assistance, in cases where it is undesirable or impossible to secure the entire time of a trained nurse.

The hospital furnishes for Newport all that the largest institutions of like nature in the country provide for their localities in which they are located. It is thoroughly equipped so far as the general plan has been carried out, and is able to do the best work in its medical and surgical departments. It has already proven a great blessing to the city, and each new patient adds to the number of friends the institution is making in the community, for no one who has received treatment in the hospital has anything but the warmest praise for the care and skill exercised by those in charge.

The trustees intend to open the hospital to the inspection of the public at various intervals, in the hope that all may have an opportunity to see what is provided for the care of the sick, and each successive inspection must add to the list of those who will appreciate the institution for what it really is.



BUILDINGS OF THE NEWPORT HOSPITAL, AS PROPOSED IN THE COMPLETED PLAN.

TWO THOUSAND MILES BY WAGON.

E. E. Farnsworth is a living example of what a man in the last stage of consumption can do to save his own life, and at the same time he is a walking advertisement of the beneficial effects of the rare air of the Western plateaus. He is now in El Paso with his family, after having come 2,114 miles across the country in a wagon.

"We left Winfield, Kan.," said Mr. Farnsworth, "on the twenty-ninth day of last March, when I was so weak that I could not throw the harness on the horses. We came on to the West in our wagon, living in it, sleeping in it at night and traveling during the day. When we came to an agreeable place we would stop for a few days, and then we would resume the journey with the horses refreshed. Most of the summer was spent in the mountains, hunting and fishing, and from there we went to Utah and came down through central New Mexico to El Paso. We have the same horses with which we started, and our wagon is in good shape. We have had many experiences, but nothing has resulted seriously for us, and the net result is that we are here in good shape, and I have practically regained my health."

The wagon in which the trip was made is a marvel of ingenious arrangement. It is the size of an ordinary farm wagon. The front seat is arranged so that it can be thrown back upon hinges, disclosing a well-arranged clothes chest. The remainder of the wagon body is inclosed in a frame about six feet high, projecting over the sides and covered with painted canvas. By various ingenious arrangements the interior is so fitted up as to hold the beds for the party, tables and chairs and a sheet metal stove. The bed can be folded back against the wall; the stove can hardly be noticed because of the way it is fixed in the side of the wagon, and the table, when not in use, can be folded down along the side. Lockers under and on the side of the wagon provide places for storing food, tools, ropes and the like. The average time made on the trip has been 25 miles a day of travel.

From here the party will go up the Tularosa and then across the Roswell in the Pecos valley, returning home in Kansas in April, after having consumed about a year on the trip. The method is certainly a sensible and, as it has proved, an effective one for regaining health, and Mr. Farnsworth returns to his home practically well.

They have gathered numerous ore specimens and sent many pounds of them home. One fine specimen of copper ore was found near Las Cruces, and this they still have with them. The total cost of the trip so far for the three has been only about $1,600.—[El Paso Herald.

DOMESTICATION AND EVOLUTION.

Exhibits now being arranged at the South Kensington Museum are designed to give a practical illustration of evolution by showing the changes man has wrought by artificial breeding in horses, cattle, sheep, dogs, cats, rabbits, birds, fishes, bees, silk-moths, and other species. Prepared skeletons will show that the changes have not been merely external. Among the animals already collected are a rock pigeon, around which are grouped fancy breeds that have sprung from it; some jungle fowl, the originals of our breeds of poultry, together with some of the latter; and both wild and cage-bred canaries.

THE FIRST SMILE OF SPRING.

While men are running here and there,
And jostling one another,
And hunting for some special little thing,
March, who's a jolly fellow, spite of all
his storm and bluster,
Is working for the opening of the spring.

When the hurried, tired-out throng of men are wrapped in idle slumber,
He is tip-toeing round in night and cold,
Ironing out the collars of the little Easter daisies,
And carving at their studs of yellow gold.

Then through the silent vineyards and beneath the orchard branches,
Like a barber in the softest shoes you please,
With powder-puff of swan's down, he is covering with hoar frost
The tresses of the brown old almond trees.

And while Nature, too, is fast asleep, or stirring on her pillow,
And the garden is deserted, as you think,
He is down there, lacing up the emerald velvet corsets,
Of the little rosebuds, white and pink.

And all the while he's sowing the snow-drops in the meadow
And the violets on the edges of the wood,
He is whistling new solfeggios for the blackbirds, who are listening
And practicing to sing them as they should.

And down along the brookside, where the watercress is growing,
And the timid deer is drinking as he stands,
The silvery little bubblets of the lily of the valley
He is sifting from his slyly hidden hands.

He is tucking down the strawberry beneath the greening grasses,
That you find it there, all blushing to be seen;
And smoothing out the creases of the crumply-folded leaflets
In the tree buds for your shady summer screen.

Then when all his work is done, and his little reign is over,
Not even then he passes sad and dumb,
But calling, as he turns his head towards April's silent threshold,
"All ready now, my darling! You may come!"

—[Anna C. Brackett's translation from Theophile Gautier.

FANCIES.

Winter's much like human nature—
Man all day will shirk,
Then along toward night he hustles
Through a lot of work.

—[Chicago Record.

Teacher—Willie, what's the masculine of laundress?

Willie Wiseguy—Chinaman!—[Brooklyn Life.

"Which is the head barber?" inquired the customer.

"We're all head barbers," replied the artist; "what did you suppose we were—corn doctors?"—[Yonkers Statesman.

The world owes every man a living, it is said; but the world will not pay its debts, except under compulsion. In other words, you have got to work for all you can get out of it.—[Boston Transcript.

"It is a disgrace to die rich," said the sociological student.

"Maybe so," answered his chum, "but I'd be willing to take chances on being able to exonerate myself."—[Washington Star.

"We are now midway between England and America," said the bluff skipper.

"Can't we get up a midway dance?" ventured the jester tourist.—[Chicago News.

Parke—Some women are never satisfied. My wife almost insisted last night upon my taking her to some play.

Lane—But you didn't?

"No, sir! Why, I've seen everything there is."—[Life.

First codger—Why is it that when you go out to sift ashes the wind invariably blows in your direction?

Second ditto—For the same reason that the smoke of a bonfire always blows into your eyes, no matter on which side of it you get.—[Boston Transcript.

"A piece of furniture like that," the demure young woman remarked, "hallways looks well in a house, don't you think?"

"Yes, ma'am," answered the solemn salesman.

"Anything of this kind hatracks a good deal of attention."—[Chicago Tribune.

FINELY ENGRAVED GLOBE.

It is conceivable that only a jeweler or watchmaker, many phases of whose work often require the greatest patience and persistence, would be the person to undertake such a task as that which George C. Schreiber, Lincoln, Ill., recently completed. This was the construction of a geographical globe to show a perfect representation of the earth's surface. The dimensions are as follows: Diameter at equator, 59 inches; equatorial circumference, 15 feet; scale, one-half an inch to the degree. This triumph of human patience, geographical research, and skill cost its maker more than three years of devoted application. It was, however, a labor of love, as Mr. Schreiber has not realized financially a fraction of his investment in money, time and energy. He kept a careful record of the time spent in working on his globe, and his entries show a total of 8,000 hours of actual work. His expenditures for materials amount to $500.

Not the least marvelous feature of this curiosity is the fact that not a pen stroke has entered into the making of its surface, every line and letter being engraved by hand, the materials removed by the engraver's tool being replaced by a dark oil paint which makes the work clear. Despite this sharpness of line, however, the entries upon the globe are decipherable in many, and perhaps most, instances only with the aid of a powerful magnifying glass. The volume of geographical information graven on the face of this globe is so great that weeks of study would be necessary to gain even a meagre comprehension of it.

Turning the big sphere until the Philippine islands come under the hand glass, the observer reads the record of Dewey's victory. This indicates how fully the work has been brought down to the present time. Its minuteness may be but suggested by the statement that the names of more than 100,000 localities are given. The altitudes of mountain ranges and their length and the length of the rivers are stated in English miles; hundreds of the principal curiosities of the world, both natural and artificial, are indicated, and a record is presented of hundreds of notable and chronological events. Every railroad and canal of importance is shown.

The marine features are of special interest. Ocean currents, routes of oceanic travel, the principal cable lines, and the routes followed by the great navigators and discoverers are clearly set forth. These features are in addition to all those found on the most complete and elaborate globes commercially manufactured. Great attention is paid to records of population. Another feature of interest is a scale showing the actual length of every degree of longitude at each degree of latitude from the equator to the poles. This greatly facilitates the work of measuring distances.

This massive geographical globe is mounted on an iron frame and is spun over telegraph wire. Upon this foundation is laid a cover of composition made principally of glue and cotton batting. The thickness of this shell is one inch. Over this is a half-inch of blotting paper painted and rubbed. This stratum of shell was built in thin layers, each of which received a coating of paint. Those portions of the surface representing land are in relief, having a depth of about one eighth of an inch, and are constructed of layers of blotting paper painted and rubbed. Thus constructed the shell is almost as hard as steel. It is highly polished and may be washed and cleansed with the utmost freedom. The land sections are painted in light tan; those representing water are light blue.

In this work of constructing the globe Mr. Schreiber's only assistant was his son, Solon C. Schreiber, and the work stands as a monument of what can be done by patient work.—[The Jewelers' Circular.

An observing householder noticed that his cook had stuck up in her kitchen a map of South Africa, with the British possessions colored red, the Transvaal brown, the Orange Free State yellow and Portuguese territory green. "Do you take an interest in the war, Mary?" he asked. "No, sir," replied the cook, "but I mean to have a skirt like that brown bit, and blouses like them colors; and I'm just keepin' the map to match the patterns with, when I get a event' off, sir!"

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost near as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15c. and 25c. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

NEWPORT PROBATE NOTICES.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 26th day of February A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M.

John B. Reunion, Executor of the last will and testament of

MARY McGOWAN NICHOLSON,

late of Newport, deceased, presents his first and final account of administration on the estate of said deceased, containing proceeds of sale of real estate, and prays that the same may be examined, allowed and recorded.

It is ordered that the consideration of said account be referred to Monday, the 19th day of March A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News, once a week at least, for fourteen days.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, Probate Clerk.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 26th day of February A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Frederick W. Tilton and Francis E. Peckham, Executors of the last will and testament of

THATCHER THAYER,

late of Newport, deceased, present an account setting out the legacies to be paid out, and the property to be turned over to residuary legatees pursuant to said Will, and pray that the same may be received and considered by this Court and then be sent with the report of this Court thereon, to the Clerk's office of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, in said Newport according to law.

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William H. Beale, surviving Executor of the last will and testament of

RICHARD CORNELL,

late of Newport, deceased, presents his first and final account of administration on the estate of said deceased, and prays that the same may be examined, allowed and recorded.

It is ordered that the consideration of said account be referred to Monday, the 19th day of March A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News, once a week at least, for fourteen days.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, Probate Clerk.

EXECUTRICES' NOTICE.

The subscribers having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, R. I., Executrices of the last will and testament of

TIMOTHY MULLANEY,

late of said Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, request all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to them or file the same in the office of the Clerk of said Court within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to

HANNAH M. SULLIVAN,
CATHERINE McLAUGHLIN,
Executrices.

Newport, R. I., March 2, 1900.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

The subscriber having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, R. I., Executor of the last will and testament of

MARGARET LITTLE,

late of Said Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to him or file the same in the office of the Clerk of said Court within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to

ISAAC GILL, Executor.

Pawtucket, R. I., March 2, 1900.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport, in Rhode Island, holden on Monday the 19th day of February A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

On the petition in writing of Margaret A. Dolliff presented this day, praying that Alvord N. Dolliff or some other suitable person may be appointed Guardian of the person and estate of

WILLIAM M. SWEET

of said Newport who is represented in said petition as a minor under the age of fourteen years resident of said Newport.

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 12th day of March A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

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NEWPORT PROBATE NOTICES.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

The subscribers having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, R. I., Executors of the last will and testament of

GEORGE H. NORMAN,

late of said Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to them or file the same in the office of the Clerk of said Court within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to

ABBIE K. NORMAN,
GEORGE H. NORMAN,
Executors.

Newport, R. I., March 9th, 1900.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

The subscriber having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, R. I., Administrator on the Estate of

TENNANT D. PIKE,

late of said Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having claims against said estate to present them to him or file the same in the office of the Clerk of said Court within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to

JOSEPH B. PIKE, Administrator.

Newport, R. I., March 9th, 1900.

Office of the Probate Clerk of the City of Newport, in Rhode Island, March 8th, A. D. 1900.

Mary Cappuccilli having this day filed in this office a petition in writing to the Court of Probate of said Newport, representing that she is the mother of

ANNIE FARLEY,

a minor under the age of fourteen years, resident of said Newport; that said minor is possessed of certain personal property and that the father of said minor is deceased, and praying that she may be appointed Guardian of the estate of said minor, and said petitioner having applied to me to give notice thereof by advertising in the Newport Daily News:

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that said petition will be considered at the Court of Probate to be holden on Monday the 26th day of March, A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall in said Newport.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, Probate Clerk.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.

The subscriber having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, R. I., Executrix of the last will and testament of

THOMAS H. MELVILLE,

late of said Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to her or file the same in the office of the Clerk of said Court within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to

HANNAH DODGE, Executrix.

Newport, R. I., March 2, 1900.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 19th day of February A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Lewis L. Simmons, Guardian of the person and estate of

CLARA L. SWASEY

of full age, of Newport, presents his annual account with the estate of said Clara L. Swasey and prays that the same may be examined, allowed and recorded.

It is ordered that the consideration of said account be referred to Monday, the 12th day of March A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, Probate Clerk.

At the Court of Probate, of the City of Newport, in Rhode Island, holden on Monday the 19th day of February A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

On the petition, in writing, of Jeannette Crow by her attorney, Darius Baker, presented this day, praying that letters of administration de bonis non with the will annexed on the estate of

JOSEPH GIBSON,

late of said Newport, deceased, may be granted to Lewis L. Simmons or some other suitable person:

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 12th day of March A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, Probate Clerk.

GUARDIAN'S NOTICE.

The undersigned having been duly appointed by the Hon. Court of Probate of the City of Newport, guardian of the estates of

MARION HALL LYONS and LEONARD LE BARON LYONS,

minors, of Mobile, Alabama, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against said estates to present them within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to

CLARK BURDICK, Guardian.

Newport, R. I., February 23, 1900.

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PORTSMOUTH PROBATE NOTICES.

Office of the Clerk of Probate Court, Portsmouth, R. I., Feb. 21, 1900. Estate of Rufus T. Fuller.

An instrument in writing, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of

RUFUS T. FULLER,

late of said Portsmouth, deceased, has been filed in the Office of the Clerk of said Court, addressed to said Court with a request that public notice of the filing and purport thereof be published for fourteen days once a week at least in the Newport Daily News.

WILLIAM P. BRAYTON, Probate Clerk.

At the Court of Probate of Portsmouth, R. I., held on Monday, February 12, A. D. 1900.

Mr. Parker H. Carr of Freetown, Mass., presented his petition, in writing, praying that a certain instrument presented therewith, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of

ANJEANETTE CARR,

late of said Portsmouth, deceased, may be proved, approved, allowed and recorded, and that letters testamentary on the estate of said deceased may be granted to him who is named in said will as the Executor thereof:

The same is received and referred for consideration to the Court of Probate to be holden at the Town Hall in said Portsmouth on Monday, the 12th day of March; and it is ordered by said Court that previous notice thereof be published for fourteen days, once a week at least, in the Newport Daily News.

WM. P. BRAYTON, Probate Clerk.

TIVERTON PROBATE NOTICES.

ADMINISTRATION NOTICE.

The undersigned, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of

NATHAN GRINNELL,

late of the Town of Tiverton, deceased, which will has been admitted to probate by the Probate Court of the Town of Tiverton, hereby gives notice that he has accepted said trust and has given bond according to law.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to the undersigned or file the same in the office of the clerk of said court within six months from the date of the first advertisement hereof.

GEORGE R. LAWTON.

Tiverton, R. I., Feb. 20, 1900.

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This Morning's News.

FRENCH CHECKED.

Boer Position Turned Before British Main Body Could Strike.

LONDON, March 8.--The Standard publishes the following despatch from Poplar Grove:

"The movements of the mounted men were somewhat too rapid for the supporting infantry, and as a result the Boer position was turned before the main body could strike effectively.

"The Boers fell back precipitately and, extending to the southeast, they checked the advance of the British cavalry with a heavy rifle fire at 800 yards range. Accordingly General French moved southward and outflanked them again, but the Boers repeated their tactics."

A despatch from Osfontein, March 7, says: "Lord Roberts's movement today again thoroughly surprised, outwitted and outmanoeuvred the Boers, who fled almost without firing a shot. The plan of battle was as follows:

"General Colville's division extended along the north bank; General Tucker held the centre reserve, and the guards brigade had the centre advanced; General Kelly-Kenny's division was ordered to make a huge flanking movement on the Boers left, following General French, who was instructed to move southeast until opposite the Boer flank, and then swing around the rear.

"Every movement was admirably executed and entirely successful. The Boers were surprised, as was evident from the state of the deserted camps. Twice the British cavalry were almost in a position to charge, but they admit that they were foiled by the manoeuvering of the Boers.

"When last seen, General French was pursuing the enemy vigorously. He was between them and Bloemfontein, about 11 miles from the right wing.

"General Colville merely demonstrated against a high mountain occupied by the Transvaal troops who are now fleeing in consequence of the flight of the Free Staters south of the river.

"It is impossible at present to give the Boer numbers, but it is estimated that they reach 14,000, all of whom are now in flight."

A Boer camp, Biggarsburg, despatch says: At a general council of war Louis Botha was appointed lieutenantgeneral for Natal, and Lukas Meyer, Schalk Burger, David Joubert, Daniel Erasmus and J. Fourie were appointed majorgenerals. The selections have given lively satisfaction to the burghers.

President Kruger, according to a special despatch from Bloemfontein, addressed a crowd of people and said:

"Although God is testing our people my personal opinion is that the fruit of the test is nearly over. If the people are sustained by faith in the time of adversity, God will soon again turn the tide in our favor. If we have strong faith in God, he will surely deliver us. The God of deliverance of the olden time is the same God now."

The speech of the venerable president brought tears to the eyes of men and women alike.

The Free State Volkslied (national anthem) was then sung. The visit of President Kruger has done much good and has cheered the despondents.

President Kruger, more recently, has been visiting the commandoes south of Bloemfontein.

Fighting is proceeding at Mafeking. All the outside forts except one have been taken by the Boers.

Much satisfaction is expressed in all circles at the courtesies extended to General Cronje by the British.

TRUSTS BARRED.

Amended Ship Subsidy Bill Ordered Reported to the House.

WASHINGTON, March 8.--The House committee on merchant marine and fisheries held an extended session today, with a view to completing the shipping subsidy bill, which has been under consideration for some time.

By a vote of 10 to 5 the bill was finally ordered reported, and Representative Grosvenor, chairman of the committee, was authorized to submit the report. Mr. Grosvenor summed up the results by saying the committee had agreed to the amendments in the Senate bill, and also a few other new amendments. On the final vote all the Republican members favored the bill as amended, and all the Democrats opposed, except Mr. Chaney, who did not vote.

Mr. Stevens's anti-trust amendments were agreed to. As summed up by him they are as follows: "That any vessel or owner of a vessel entering a trust to increase the price of export freight or in restraint of export trade shall cease to draw compensation under this bill."

The second provides substantially: "That any combination or conspiracy of shipyards engaged in building vessels for compensation under this act is declared illegal, and upon proof of combination or conspiracy of shipyards having a capacity of one-third of the new tonnage of the United States, the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to admit foreign built vessels to take the place of new vessels constructed under this act, except that such new vessels shall not enter the coastwise or lake trade."

Another amendment agreed to, which is not in the Senate bill, reduces the bounty five per cent annually after 10 years.

Mr. Fitzgerald of Massachusetts, the ranking Democrat of the committee, offered a "free ship" amendment, which was defeated, although all the Democrats and Messrs. Jones of Washington and Fordney of Michigan voted for it. Another amendment by Mr. Fitzgerald, giving until 1904 for the American registering of ships purchased abroad, was supported by the Democrats and Mr. Jones, but was also defeated.

The Democrats of the committee will submit a minority report opposing the bill as reported.

HARRISON NOT IN IT.

Has No Desire to Live in the White House Again.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 8.--The News this afternoon says: "It is said by intimate friends of General Harrison that he is chagrined that his name should be so freely used in the newspapers of the country in connection with public questions now under consideration, and especially as an opponent of the administration.

"One man who is near the former President said today: 'You may say that if General Harrison had any thought of reentering politics which he has not--he would not make his reappearance by criticising the administration. The fact is that General Harrison's mind has not changed since he had retired from the Presidency. He said at that time that he had retired from politics to stay, and it is stated that he has never had the least desire to reappear before the public as an aspirant for reelection to the Presidency.'"

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ANOTHER HAY SHED FIRE.

Work of an Incendiary, Who is Now in Custody.

BOSTON, March 8.--For a third time this week the large hay sheds of the Boston & Maine railroad, on Rutherford avenue, Charlestown, rented by them to various firms, were visited by fire, this afternoon, when the long No. 2 shed in which were stored 85 carloads of baled hay was almost wholly burned, together with four loaded freight cars and an adjoining building occupied by E. A. Gillette & Sons, carriage manufacturers.

The losses will aggregate $25,000, divided as follows: Boston & Maine Railroad Company, $8,000; E. L. Gillette & Sons, $5,000; William Leavitt, hay, $7,000; Gilman, Smith & Co., hay, $5,000.

There were nearly a dozen men at work in the building when the fire started, although at some distance from the place where it was discovered. A large gang of men was also at work overhauling hay which had been partially burned in No. 1 freight house opposite Tuesday, while nearly 100 boys were playing about the freight yards.

The mystery surrounding the three fires in the company's hay sheds within the past four days, by which $75,000 worth of property has been destroyed, has been partially cleared away by the confession of Nicholas J. Canfield of Charlestown, who was arrested during the progress of this afternoon's fire on suspicion of having started the blaze. Canfield, who is 18 years old, tall, strongly built and of slovenly appearance, seemed to be around at all times and did odd jobs, such as clearing away burned hay from the ruins of the previous fires.

The officers took him into custody and brought him to the fire marshal's office to explain his conduct. He was reticent at first, but finally admitted that he set the hay on fire. He said he did it because he was tired of looking for work, and as he had made 25 cents yesterday loading teams, he thought it would give him another chance for work.

Although Canfield denied that he set Monday's and Tuesday's fires, there is a very strong feeling in view of all the circumstances that he was responsible for them. He will be arraigned in court tomorrow.

The prisoner's mother lives in Charlestown, but has had nothing to do with her son since he was five years old. At that time he was taken by the State Board of Lunacy and Charity and sent to a farm in New Hampshire, where he remained until about a year ago. Since then he has been around Charlestown penniless and unable to obtain work.

WOMEN AND BAD PLAYS.

Upon women, the responsibility of countenancing or discountenancing plays of this class rests with peculiar weight. Many a woman goes to the theatre without knowing what kind of a performance is to be given, and stays through it when, if she followed her own inclinations, and were true to the traditions of her bringing-up--traditions on which the home-life of this country, the very root of our national life, is built--she would leave the house in indignation and disgust. In the case of the proposed production at "Sapho," no such situation can arise. The woman who goes to it goes knowing that she is giving her countenance in a performance whose only capital consists in its unsavory notoriety. We do not believe that any Baltimore woman will allow herself to be placed in that position. We do not believe any Baltimore gentleman will offer to any lady the insult of inviting her to do so.--[Baltimore News.

MIDDLETOWN.

[Regular correspondence of the News]

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union met with Mrs. Joseph L. Chace on Turner road this afternoon.

Miss Orrel Peabody is visiting her cousin, Miss Gertrude Braman, in Newport.

Mr. and Mrs. Prescott Molden entertained Wednesday evening.

Mr. William V. Hart is confined at home by illness.

Mrs. James T. Peckham visited her sister in Newport yesterday.

Mrs. Abbie Surry is visiting her sister, Mrs. Alden P. Barker. For some years she has resided in Bridgeport, Conn., but will in the future live in Middleboro, Mass., where her husband has gone into business.

PORTSMOUTH.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

Mrs. Israel H. Oraswell, Mrs. Atwell F. Hedly and Mrs. David B. Anthony spent Thursday in Somerset with Mrs. Stephen Durfee, who is in very feeble health. Mrs. Oraswell and Mrs. Hedly, mother and sister of Mrs. Durfee, brought the youngest child, an infant, home with them.

Mrs. Willard S. Brayton is quite ill with the grip. Mr. Brayton, though better, is not able to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. Coomer A. Easterbrooks have taken a house on Bath road, Newport. That portion of their household goods which has been stored here for the last three years, while they were domiciled at Price's neck, was taken to their new home Wednesday.

Mr. Frederick U. Tallman and Mrs. Tallman of Bristol are guests of Mrs. William F. Freeborn and other relatives.

Mr. Perry Chase of Fall River, who recently bought the mill and house lot on Quaker hill, has moved some of his effects here and stored them preparatory to building.

Miss S. J. Eddy and Mr. B. A. Ballou were in town Wednesday visiting "Wil-Brook," where extensive improvements are being made under Mr. John E. Manchester and a corps of workmen.

A Democratic caucus was held Thursday evening at the home of Mr. Frank B. Tallman.

Mrs. J. M. Eldredge's dancing class was largely attended Wednesday evening, quite a delegation being present from Nonquit Grange, Tiverton and from Fall River and Newport in addition to the regular class.

Mrs. Abner P. Lawton is improving, and Mrs. Burke, whose trip to New York has been deferred on account of illness, is much better. The Bristol Ferry road seems to be having more sick people upon it than any other section of the town.

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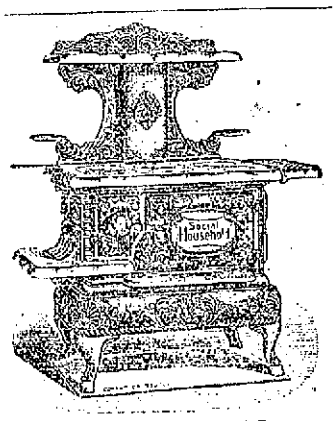
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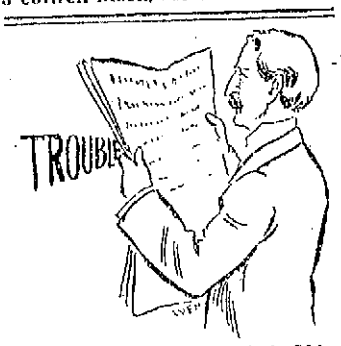

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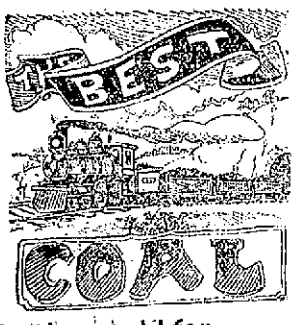

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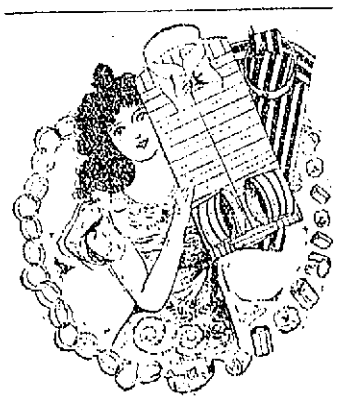
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HOSPITAL VISITING DAY.

Buildings of the Institution Found in Excellent Condition.

Value and Importance of the Work It is Doing in Newport.

In response to the invitation of the trustees of the Newport Hospital for an inspection by the public of that institution, there were many of the people of Newport who visited and inspected the hospital between 3 and 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon, and all found numerous features of interest. Many for the first time saw the admirable accommodations and equipment for the care of the sick and disabled, and were greatly surprised and exceedingly gratified with the conditions observed. Miss Pickett, the superintendent; the members of the board of trustees, and the nurses whose duties permitted, were on hand to receive visitors and show them the various wards and their individual equipment. Every portion of the hospital was open to inspection and all were given an opportunity to see for themselves the working day routine of the institution. The trustees, who had constituted themselves a reception committee, explained the many novel and interesting features in the construction of the buildings and in the various equipments for the care and treatment of those placed under their charge. After the visitors had completed their inspection they were invited into the large room in the administration building, where chocolate and cake were served by two of the nurses, assisted by a committee of ladies.

The hospital was found to be first-class and up-to-date in every respect and it was the universal opinion of the visitors that Newport is indeed favored in having such an institution open to its injured and suffering. One feature, perhaps, above all others, which impressed the guests was the absolute cleanliness and neatness in everything. There was not a particle of dirt anywhere, and indeed the construction of the building is such and the furniture is of such construction that there seems to be no opportunity for dirt or dust to remain, even if it finds a temporary place for lodgment.

The general plan of the several wards which comprise the hospital is such that there is no upper story in the new construction, except in the isolated building. All are on one level and connected in the rear or front with a covered corridor, which is enclosed, with large windows on either side, making a connected system of buildings, each of which is complete in itself.

There are two large wards, which extend from the corridor south towards Fowel avenue. One of these, for men, is known as the William and Martha Littlefield ward, and the other is the Ledyard hospital for women and children, the latter named in honor of the late Henry Ledyard, who was the first president of the hospital. These building are similar, containing one large ward accommodating 20 beds, with a large open fireplace in the centre. There are in addition rooms for nurses and two separate wards for the isolation of cases. Each has a lavatory, which is connected and yet cut off from the ward, so that no bad air can reach them. On the south end of each, reaching across the end of the building, is a convalescing room, with glass front, in which patients can rest and receive plenty of air and sunshine. In all the rooms iron and glass have taken the place of wood in the construction of the furniture, to better secure cleanliness. The beds and tables in the main ward, and the medicine cases are of iron, and the white paint gives them an attractive appearance as well.

In the rear of the corridor are two smaller buildings, one on either side of the old hospital, which serves as an administration building. One of these is the Vanderbilt surgical building, the gift of Mrs. Frederick W. Vanderbilt, and the other the H. R. A. Carey memorial ward, the gift of Mr. Arthur Astor Carey. In the surgical building there is everything that can be desired for the performance of operations and the preparation and care of patients before and afterwards. The operating room, a large room on the west side, is fitted with the most approved apparatus for the work of the surgeons. The operating table is of iron and glass, the invention of Dr. Clement Cleveland, and the other apparatus is of the latest pattern.

Directly across the corridor are the surgeons' room and the apparatus room, which is equipped with a large number of instruments for use in the various cases brought to the hospital. There is also a sterilizing room, where all the clothing is disinfected and thoroughly cleaned; a room for preparing the patient before and after an operation, rooms for the nurses, and every convenience which science and care can suggest.

The H. R. A. Carey building is for the use of private patients, and is fitted up with large wards and conveniences of every kind for their care.

The laundry is in a small brick building apart from the others, but so located that it can be connected with the main corridor of the hospital when other buildings are erected and the general plan fully carried out. In this building all the clothing used in the hospital, by either patients, nurses or attendants, is washed and ironed. In the basement is a small room where the clothing is sorted, and a larger room where it is washed and dried in a drying apparatus. On the other floor is a large room for the ironing of clothes. In this, as in the other parts of the hospital, everything is as neat as wax, the brass work over the tubs highly polished, and the slate tubs are thoroughly cleaned and dried after each washing.

The latest building to be constructed is the pathological building, which is apart from the others to the westward, and nearest Broadway. It is of brick and of two stories. On the lower floor are two rooms for the performing of autopsies and the care of bodies; and in the upper story is the laboratory, where Miss Miles analyzes the food provided for the hospital and conducts experiments in foods for the instruction of the nurses. This laboratory was planned by the late Medical Inspector Siegfried, and was equipped in accordance with his suggestions. It is provided with facilities for bacteriological and pathological examination and research and is a very important feature in the conduct of the hospital. Here the milk which is provided is tested, and investigation made of food supplies, and the nurses instructed in the qualities of the various foods, to better fit them for their work in the care of the sick.

The old wooden building, which occupies the centre of the group and was formerly the hospital proper, is now used as an administration building and will be so used until the trustees are able to construct another building which will be better adapted to the needs of the institution. Here are the reception room and office of the superintendent, a large room which is fitted to be used as a children's ward and another large room used as a linen room. The upper stories are used by the superintendent for various purposes.

There is another building, not connected with the general plan, the Peckham cottage, which is used as a nurses' house, and still another, the Mitchell cottage on Friendship street, which has several rooms fitted for the care of delirium tremens cases, and several other rooms for the out cases, where Drs. Harvey and Powell each week treat a large number of cases for eye and ear diseases.

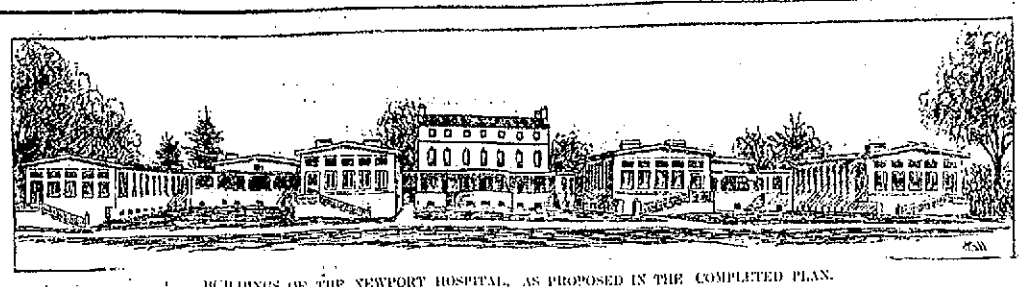
In the plumbing and heating arrangements the hospital is equipped with the most approved apparatus. The piping is everywhere exposed and easily accessible for cleaning or repair, both in the buildings themselves and in the cellar. The heating system is combined with that for ventilating, so that only the most beneficial results are obtained, and wholesome air is provided for the various parts of the buildings at all times. The furnaces are so placed that there is no noise under the several wards, and the least danger from fire in the occupied portions of the buildings. The cellar is high and dry, well lighted and ventilated, and evidently the same care regarding its sanitary condition is taken as in the buildings. In fact there is apparently nothing left undone to make and keep the entire plant in the best condition for the care of the sick and unfortunate who may be placed in the hospital.

Besides its primary object of caring for those who may be brought to the hospital, other work of an equally valuable nature is being carried on under its management. The training school for nurses is an important feature and in this department the pupils have a regular course of study, both in the common branches, such as English and arithmetic, and in others more particularly connected with the profession. This course includes lectures by the hospital corps of physicians and frequent examinations.

The work of the district nurse is one that appeals more particularly to the poorer classes in the city, among whom the nurse assigned to this duty makes regular visits and gives a care which they would be unable to provide for themselves. In addition, the other nurses may be engaged to make regular visits to sick outside the hospital, at very much smaller cost than would be charged for trained nurses who devote their entire time to a case. This branch of the hospital work is one that will be appreciated by those in need of trained assistance, in cases where it is undesirable or impossible to secure the entire time of a trained nurse.

The hospital furnishes for Newport all that the largest institutions of like nature in the country provide for their localities in which they are located. It is thoroughly equipped so far as the general plan has been carried out, and is able to do the best work in its medical and surgical departments. It has already proven a great blessing to the city, and each new patient adds to the number of friends the institution is making in the community, for no one who has received treatment in the hospital has anything but the warmest praise for the care and skill exercised by those in charge.

The trustees intend to open the hospital to the inspection of the public at various intervals, in the hope that all may have an opportunity to see what is provided for the care of the sick, and each successive inspection must add to the list of those who will appreciate the institution for what it really is.



BUILDINGS OF THE NEWPORT HOSPITAL, AS PROPOSED IN THE COMPLETED PLAN.

TWO THOUSAND MILES BY WAGON.

E. E. Farnsworth is a living example of what a man in the last stage of consumption can do to save his own life, and at the same time he is a walking advertisement of the beneficial effects of the rare air of the Western plateaus. He is now in El Paso with his family, after having come 2,114 miles across the country in a wagon.

"We left Winfield, Kan.," said Mr. Farnsworth, "on the twenty-ninth day of last March, when I was so weak that I could not throw the harness on the horses. We came on to the West in our wagon, living in it, sleeping in it at night and traveling during the day. When we came to an agreeable place we would stop for a few days, and then we would resume the journey with the horses refreshed. Most of the summer was spent in the mountains, hunting and fishing, and from there we went to Utah and came down through central New Mexico to El Paso. We have the same horses with which we started, and our wagon is in good shape. We have had many experiences, but nothing has resulted seriously for us, and the net result is that we are here in good shape, and I have practically regained my health."

The wagon in which the trip was made is a marvel of ingenious arrangement. It is the size of an ordinary farm wagon. The front seat is arranged so that it can be thrown back upon hinges, disclosing a well-arranged clothes chest. The remainder of the wagon body is inclosed in a frame about six feet high, projecting over the sides and covered with painted canvas. By various ingenious arrangements the interior is so fitted up as to hold the beds for the party, tables and chairs and a sheet metal stove. The bed can be folded back against the wall; the stove can hardly be noticed because of the way it is fixed in the side of the wagon, and the table, when not in use, can be folded down along the side. Lockers under and on the side of the wagon provide places for storing food, tools, ropes and the like. The average time made on the trip has been 25 miles a day of travel.

From here the party will go up the Tularosa and then across the Roswell in the Peros valley, returning home in Kansas in April, after having consumed about a year on the trip. The method is certainly a sensible and, as it has proved, an effective one for regaining health, and Mr. Farnsworth returns to his home practically well.

They have gathered numerous ore specimens and sent many pounds of them home. One fine specimen of copper ore was found near Las Cruces, and this they still have with them. The total cost of the trip so far for the three has been only about $1,000.—[El Paso Herald.

DOMESTICATION AND EVOLUTION.

Exhibits now being arranged at the South Kensington Museum are designed to give a practical illustration of evolution by showing the changes man has wrought by artificial breeding in horses, cattle, sheep, dogs, cats, rabbits, birds, fishes, bees, silk-moths, and other species. Prepared skeletons will show that the changes have not been merely external. Among the animals already collected are a rock pigeon, around which are grouped fancy breeds that have sprung from it; some jungle fowl, the originals of our breeds of poultry, together with some of the latter; and both wild and cage-bred canaries.

THE FIRST SMILE OF SPRING.

While men are running here and there,
and jostling one another,
And hunting for some special little
thing,
March, who's a jolly fellow, spite of all
his storm and blister,
Is working for the opening of the
spring.

When the hurried, tired-out throng of
men are wrapped in idle slumber,
He is tip-toeing round in night and
cold,
Ironing out the collars of the little Easter daisies,
And carving at their studs of yellow
gold.

Then through the silent vineyards and
beneath the orchard branches,
Like a barber in the softest shoes you
please,
With powder-puff of swan's down, he is
covering with hoar frost
The tresses of the brown old almond
trees.

And while Nature, too, is fast asleep, or
stirring on her pillow,
And the garden is deserted, as you
think,
He is down there, lacing up the emerald
velvet corsets,
Of the little rosebuds, white and pink.

And all the while he's sowing the snow-
drops in the meadow
And the violets on the edges of the
wood,
He is whistling now solfeggios for the
blackbirds, who are listening
And practicing to sing them as they
should.

And down along the brookside, where
the watercress is growing,
And the timid deer is drinking as he
stands,
The silvery little bubblets of the lily of
the valley
He is sifting from his slyly hidden
hands.

He is tucking down the strawberry beneath the greening grasses,
That you find it there, all blushing to
be seen;
And smoothing out the creases of the
crumply-folded leaflets
In the tree buds for your shady summer screen.

Then when all his work is done, and his
little reign is over,
Not even then he passes sad and
dumb,
But calling, as he turns his head towards
April's silent threshold,
"All ready now, my darling! You may
come!"

—[Anna C. Brackett's translation from Theophile Gautier.

FANCIES.

Winter's much like human nature—
Man all day will shirk,
Then along toward night he hustles
Through a lot of work.
—[Chicago Record.

Teacher—Willie, what's the masculine of laundress?

Willie Wiseguy—Chinaman!—[Brooklyn Life.

"Which is the head barber?" inquired the customer.

"We're all head barbers," replied the artist: "what did you suppose we were—corn doctors?"—[Yonkers Statesman.

The world owes every man a living, it is said; but the world will not pay its debts, except under compulsion. In other words, you have got to work for all you can get out of it.—[Boston Transcript.

"It is a disgrace to die rich," said the sociological student.

"Maybe so," answered his chum, "but I'd be willing to take chances on being able to exonerate myself."—[Washington Star.

"We are now midway between England and America," said the bluff skipper.

"Can't we get up a midway dance?" ventured the jester tourist.—[Chicago News.

Parke—Some women are never satisfied. My wife almost insisted last night upon my taking her to some play.

Lane—But you didn't?

"No, sir! Why, I've seen everything there is."—[Life.

First cadger—Why is it that when you go out to sift ashes the wind invariably blows in your direction?

Second ditto—For the same reason that the smoke of a bonfire always blows into your eyes, no matter on which side of it you get.—[Boston Transcript.

"A piece of furniture like that," the demure young woman remarked, "hallways looks well in a house, don't you think?"

"Yes, ma'am," answered the solemn salesman.

"Anything of this kind hatracks a good deal of attention."—[Chicago Tribune.

FINELY ENGRAVED GLOBE.

It is conceivable that only a jeweler or watchmaker, many phases of whose work often require the greatest patience and persistence, would be the person to undertake such a task as that which George C. Schreiber, Lincoln, Ill., recently completed. This was the construction of a geographical globe to show a perfect representation of the earth's surface. The dimensions are as follows: Diameter at equator, 50 inches; equatorial circumference, 15 feet; scale, one-half an inch to the degree. This triumph of human patience, geographical research, and skill cost its maker more than three years of devoted application. It was, however, a labor of love, as Mr. Schreiber has not realized financially a fraction of his investment in money, time and energy. He kept a careful record of the time spent in working on his globe, and his entries show a total of 8,000 hours of actual work. His expenditures for materials amount to $500.

Not the least marvelous feature of this curiosity is the fact that not a pen stroke has entered into the making of its surface, every line and letter being engraved by hand, the materials removed by the engraver's tool being replaced by a dark oil paint which makes the work clear. Despite this sharpness of line, however, the entries upon the globe are decipherable in many, and perhaps most, instances only with the aid of a powerful magnifying glass. The volume of geographical information graven on the face of this globe is so great that weeks of study would be necessary to gain even a meagre comprehension of it.

Turning the big sphere until the Philippine islands come under the hand glass, the observer reads the record of Dewey's victory. This indicates how fully the work has been brought down to the present time. Its minuteness may be but suggested by the statement that the names of more than 100,000 localities are given. The altitudes of mountain ranges and their length and the length of the rivers are stated in English miles; hundreds of the principal curiosities of the world, both natural and artificial, are indicated, and a record is presented of hundreds of notable and chronological events. Every railroad and canal of importance is shown.

The marine features are of special interest. Ocean currents, routes of oceanic travel, the principal cable lines, and the routes followed by the great navigators and discoverers are clearly set forth. These features are in addition to all those found on the most complete and elaborate globes commercially manufactured. Great attention is paid to records of population. Another feature of interest is a scale showing the actual length of every degree of longitude at each degree of latitude from the equator to the poles. This greatly facilitates the work of measuring distances.

This massive geographical globe is mounted on an iron frame and is spun over telegraph wire. Upon this foundation is laid a cover of composition made principally of glue and cotton batting. The thickness of this shell is one inch. Over this is a half-inch of blotting paper painted and rubbed. This stratum of shell was built in thin layers, each of which received a coating of paint. Those portions of the surface representing land are in relief, having a depth of about one eighth of an inch, and are constructed of layers of blotting paper painted and rubbed. Thus constructed the shell is almost as hard as steel. It is highly polished and may be washed and cleansed with the utmost freedom. The land sections are painted in light tan; those representing water are light blue.

In this work of constructing the globe Mr. Schreiber's only assistant was his son, Solon C. Schreiber, and the work stands as a monument of what can be done by patient work.—[The Jewelers' Circular.

An observing householder noticed that his cook had stuck up in her kitchen a map of South Africa, with the British possessions colored red, the Transvaal brown, the Orange Free State yellow and Portuguese territory green. "Do you take an interest in the war, Mary?" he asked. "No, sir," replied the cook, "but I mean to have a skirt like that brown bit, and blouses like them colors; and I'm just keepin' the map to match the patterns with, when I get a evenin' off, sir!"

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grain, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over ¼ as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15c. and 25c. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

NEWPORT PROBATE NOTICES.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 26th day of February A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M.

John B. Dennison, Executor of the last will and testament of

MARY McGOWAN NICHOLSON,

late of Newport, deceased, presents his first and final account of administration on the estate of said deceased, containing proceeds of sale of real estate, and prays that the same may be examined, allowed and recorded.

It is ordered that the consideration of said account be referred to Monday, the 19th day of March A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News, once a week at least, for fourteen days.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, Probate Clerk.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 26th day of February A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Frederick W. Tilton and Francis B. Peckham, Executors of the last will and testament of

THATCHER THAYER,

late of Newport, deceased, present an account setting out the legacies to be paid out and the property to be turned over to residuary legatees pursuant to said Will, and pray that the same may be received and recorded by this Court and then be sent with the report of this Court thereon, to the Clerk's office of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, in said Newport according to law.

It is ordered that the consideration of said account be referred to Monday, the 19th day of March A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, Probate Clerk.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 26th day of February A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M.

William H. Beale, surviving Executor of the last will and testament of

RICHARD CORNELL,

late of Newport, deceased, presents his first and final account of administration on the estate of said deceased, and prays that the same may be examined, allowed and recorded.

It is ordered that the consideration of said account be referred to Monday, the 19th day of March A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News, once a week at least, for fourteen days.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, Probate Clerk.

EXECUTRICES' NOTICE.

The subscribers having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, R. I., Executrices of the last will and testament of

TIMOTHY MULLANEY,

late of said Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, request all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to them or file the same in the office of the Clerk of said Court within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to

HANNAH M. SULLIVAN,
CATHERINE McLAUGHLIN,
Executrices.

Newport, R. I., March 2, 1900.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

The Subscriber having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, R. I., Executor of the last will and testament of

MARGARET LITTLE,

late of Said Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to him or file the same in the office of the Clerk of said Court within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to

ISAAC GILL, Executor.

Pawtucket, R. I., March 2, 1900.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport, in Rhode Island, holden on Monday the 19th day of February A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

On the petition in writing of Margaret A. Bolliff presented this day, praying that Alvord N. Bolliff or some other suitable person may be appointed Guardian of the person and estate of

WILLIAM M. SWEET

of said Newport who is represented in said petition as a minor under the age of fourteen years resident of said Newport.

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 12th day of March A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, Probate Clerk.

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NEWPORT PROBATE NOTICES.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

The subscribers having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, R. I., Executors of the last will and testament, of

GEORGE H. NORMAN,

late of aid Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to them or file the same in the office of the Clerk of said Court within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to

ABBIE K. NORMAN,
GEORGE H. NORMAN,
Executors.

Newport, R. I., March 9th, 1900.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

The subscriber having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, R. I., Administrator on the Estate of

TENNANT D. PIKE,

late of said Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having claims against said estate to present them to him or file the same in the office of the Clerk of said Court within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to

JOSEPH R. PIKE, Administrator.

Newport, R. I., March 9th, 1900.

Office of the Probate Clerk of the City of Newport, in Rhode Island, March 8th, A. D. 1900.

Mary Cappuccille having this day filed in this office a petition in writing to the Court of Probate of said Newport, representing that she is the mother of

ANNIE FARLEY,

a minor under the age of fourteen years, resident of said Newport; that said minor is possessed of certain personal property and that the father of said minor is deceased, and praying that she may be appointed Guardian of the estate of said minor, and said petitioner having applied to me to give notice thereof by advertising in the Newport Daily News

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that said petition will be considered at the Court of Probate to be holden on Monday the 26th day of March, A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall in said Newport.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, Probate Clerk.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.

The subscriber having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, R. I., Executrix of the last will and testament of

THOMAS H. MELVILLE,

late of said Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to her or file the same in the office of the Clerk of said Court within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to

HANNAH DODGE, Executrix.

Newport, R. I., March 2, 1900.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 19th day of February A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Lewis L. Simmons, Guardian of the person and estate of

CLARA L. SWASEY

of not age, of Newport, presents his annual account with the estate of said Clara L. Swasey and prays that the same may be examined, allowed and recorded.

It is ordered that the consideration of said account be referred to Monday, the 12th day of March A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, Probate Clerk.

At the Court of Probate, of the City of Newport, in Rhode Island, holden on Monday the 19th day of February A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

On the petition, in writing, of Jeannette Crow by her attorney, Darius Baker, presented this day, praying that letters of administration de bonis non with the will annexed on the estate of

JOSEPH GIBSON,

late of said Newport, deceased, may be granted to Lewis L. Simmons or some other suitable person:

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 12th day of March A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, Probate Clerk.

GUARDIAN'S NOTICE.

The undersigned having been duly appointed by the Hon. Court of Probate of the City of Newport, guardian of the estates of

MARION HALL LYONS and LEONARD LE BARON LYONS,

minors, of Mobile, Alabama, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against said estates to present them within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to

CLARK BURDICK, Guardian.

Newport, R. I., February 23, 1900.

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PORTSMOUTH PROBATE NOTICES.

Office of the Clerk of Probate Court, Portsmouth, R. I., Feb. 21, 1900. Estate of Rufus T. Fuller.

An instrument in writing, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of

RUFUS T. FULLER,

late of said Portsmouth, deceased, has been filed in the Office of the Clerk of said Court, addressed to said Court with a request that public notice of the filing and purport thereof be published for fourteen days once a week at least in the Newport Daily News.

WILLIAM F. BRAYTON, Probate Clerk.

At the Court of Probate of Portsmouth, R. I., held on Monday, February 12, A. D. 1900.

Mr. Parker H. Carr of Freetown, Mass., presented his petition, in writing, praying that a certain instrument presented therewith, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of

ANJEANETTE CARR,

late of said Portsmouth, deceased, may be proved, approved, allowed and recorded, and that letters testamentary on the estate of said deceased may be granted to him who is named in said will as the Executor thereof:

The same is received and referred for consideration to the Court of Probate to be holden at the Town Hall in said Portsmouth on Monday, the 12th day of March; and it is ordered by said Court that previous notice thereof be published for fourteen days, once a week at least, in the Newport Daily News.

WM. F. BRAYTON, Probate Clerk.

TIVERTON PROBATE NOTICES.

ADMINISTRATION NOTICE.

The undersigned, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of

NATHAN GRINNELL,

late of the Town of Tiverton, deceased, which will has been admitted to probate by the Probate Court of the Town of Tiverton, hereby gives notice that he has accepted said trust and has given bond according to law.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to the undersigned or file the same in the office of the clerk of said court within six months from the date of the first advertisement hereof.

GEORGE R. LAWTON.

Tiverton, R. I., Feb. 20, 1900.

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PRINTING.

The News has six steam presses and has a large and well-appointed job office.

Newport Daily News

FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 1900.

THAT TARIFF ON ART.

The value of a painting is such an unknown contingency that the importer of Rubens's "Holy Family," a picture now held by the custom house in New York, could well be excused for valuing it at $25,000, even though there was a chance of his getting a higher price. A painting is worth at the moment what can be got for it, and as that depends on the mood of the purchaser, and may increase or decrease in a day, the value is very movable. The result of the auctions of the contents of galleries is something that can not be predicted within a limit of thousands of dollars of the original cost of the collections.

Our tariff on art is the one relic of barbarism that we have in this country. In the first place, it acts to shut out rich possessions in a line that we lack, and that would be the greatest gain to the one leading nation of the earth that has not inherited these works of genius. In the second place, it is a crudity of which we should be ashamed that expects a custom house appraiser to value a work of art that has no intrinsic value.

If confiscation of his picture awaits the importer of the Rubens masterpiece, it will be a striking example of petty persecution and discouragement of a man who is trying to bring us what above all we are lacking in.

A CHANCE FOR ALL.

The announcement that Miss Gould had given $100,000 for the Hall of Fame to be erected at University Heights is merely the result of a guess on the part of a reporter. It is not unlikely to have been a shrewd one, but stranger things have happened than that this should turn out to be an incorrect supposition.

What is true is that the public is requested to send names of native-born Americans considered to be worthy of places among the first 50 to be inscribed on the tablets. It is believed that some 75,000 or 100,000 will be received, but that of those there will be few that are not repeated many times. Washington, Lincoln, Longfellow, Grant and some 40 others are expected to appear on every list. In fact there are not more than a dozen names about which there can be discussion. The 15,000 students in the university have been asked to each send in full lists.

It would be odd if the demand for coal should be so great abroad that wood would have to be used on the railways this exposition summer, and our American travelers write home something as Harriet Martineau did from here in the early forties. She found that "one great inconvenience of the American railroads is that, from wood being used for fuel, there is an incessant shower of large sparks destructive to dress and comfort unless all the windows are shut, which is impossible in warm weather. Some serious accidents have happened in this way, and during my last trip on the Columbia & Philadelphia railroad, a lady in the car had a shawl burned to destruction on her shoulders, and I found that my own gown had 13 holes in it, and my veil, with which I saved my eyes, more than could be counted."

The comptroller of the currency is receiving many letters of inquiry from the smaller banks and private banking concerns which are proposing to reorganize under the new currency law as soon as the authorization of national banks, with $25,000, is put on the statute books. These letters come from small towns and villages in all parts of the country, and there will be a large increase in the number of national banks very soon after the bill before Congress becomes a law.

The Republicans of Newport have a faculty for doing strange things. The failure of the convention last evening to nominate Hon. John P. Sanborn for reelection to the General Assembly is a good example of this. Mr. Sanborn has been a faithful representative of the city and the party, and deserved better treatment than has been given him by his associates. The dropping of his name from the ticket is probably not very good politics.

The New York Daily News, whose proprietor, Benjamin Wood, died recently, will hereafter be controlled and managed by women, Mrs. Wood, her daughter and her sister comprising the board of directors and holding the principal business offices. The paper will continue its former policy of supporting the Democratic party, and in other respects will follow the plans of its late owner.

A curious patient in Bellevue Hospital is a woman considered insane because she cannot stop talking. What she says is far from indicative of a state not normal, but she says it steadily without break. That this is an unusual condition in New York is the surprising thing, and the Bellevue physicians must have a limited acquaintance.

Bishop Potter on his way back from Manila was interviewed in Marseilles long enough to extract from him the most glowing accounts of the Philippines and of their future under American rule. This is a good report from a good man who has had an excellent opportunity to judge.

Why will some one not get the conditions as to vaccination in the past years in that Missouri county which is said to be literally honey-combed with small pox in its most virulent form. The question of the efficacy of vaccination should be easily settled by the statistics in this case.

Here is a cheap art with a vengeance. A new Italian invention enables a sculptor to create any number of carvings at once by the means of a machine in which he will work and which will carve at the same moment several exact duplicates of the statue he is making.

The base ball tangle seems to have been straightened out, for a time at least. The National League circuit will be made up of eight clubs this year, and base ball under the new arrangement is expected to regain its favor with the public.

The bill for saving what is left of the Palisades has passed at last. It has taken several years of warning, and of watching the havoc made by the quarries, before this little sum of $10,000 and authority to stop the destruction could be had.

The beginning of the work on the rapid transit subway tunnel in New York March 24 will be made the occasion of a municipal celebration with ceremonies, in which Mayor Van Wyck will dig the first shovelful of earth with a silver spade.

In accordance with the will of the late Miss Sarah Porter, the famous girls' school which she conducted for many years at Farmington, Conn., will be continued "with as little interruption and change as possible."

Heer is tu the nu speling rezulting from the bil pased bi the vote of the majoriti of the Hons in the old Ba state, whos public dokuments ar hereafter to be fonetic in caracter. And heer's hoping it will not be katching.

St. Patrick's day will be a great English holiday after this, and the shamrock will rival the rose in popularity. The Irish in the ranks have only been second to the Irish in command.

The price offered for the Derby winner, Flying Fox, has only once in history been exceeded, when King Richard III offered his kingdom for a horse.

Add to your postoffice lists the town of Buller in Ontario, and three Ladysmiths, one in Ontario, one in Western Ontario and the other in British Columbia.

Maud Gonne, who has returned to Ireland, did not make the sensation in the United States she expected.

Maud has Gonne.

THE MAGAZINES.

Among the articles of timely interest in the March number of the Self Culture Magazine are those on "Maple Sugar and Syrup," descriptive of the scenes in the "sugar bushes" at this sap-rising season; "The Passing of Ruskin," "A Planetary Potentate—Jupiter," and illustrated papers on "Lady Day—The Feast of the Annunciation;" "A Mexican Cathedral"—that of Guadalajara, recently shaken by earthquake; and "Our Neighbors of the Bog," a charming paper on some humble botanical inhabitants of the swamps, with pen-and-ink sketches of the plants. Other illustrated papers are those on "Wellesley College," with views of the buildings and portraits of the present and past presidents; "The Peddlers of Constantinople," and "Quaint Marken, in the Zuyder Zee"—the last two presenting curious pictures of life among the lowly in odd corners of Europe. Thoughtful papers discuss "Socialistic Tendencies in Anglo-Saxon Countries," "The Idealist Revival in Europe," "Some Recent Magazine Poetry," "Suggestiveness in Writing," and other topics of interest; while "The Battles of Lake Erie and Santiago Bay" are compared in the light of the rivalry displayed by friends of the commanders in both actions. The editorial columns review absorbing topics of current interest, notably "The War in Africa," "The Isthmian Canal Treaty," "The Kentucky Embroilment." The serial story, "Nubia of Saracenesco," reaches an interesting stage, and the outbreak of war in the Philippines is described by an officer at the front.

Lovers of earth will be particularly interested in the March issue of Meehan's Monthly, which has for its usual frang colored illustration a flowering specimen of Nuttall's Mammillaria and its fruit. The accompanying text discloses many interesting facts concerning the plant that are not generally known, one being in relation to its production of fruit a year after the flowers. In the department relating to wild flowers and nature there are interesting notes concerning early wild flowers, one of which has been found the day following a snowstorm. A curious nature is disclosed in connection with one of our native orchids which grows in places wet and dry, the extreme of one seeming to suit it as well as the other. Some of the chapters are lists with descriptions of the most hardy trees, shrubs and vines; the most satisfactory geraniums for bedding and window culture, both new and old varieties; the best five hardy roses with full descriptions and illustration; choice home fruits; and a good selection of vegetables for a kitchen garden. The cultivation of orchards is discussed; and the construction of windbreaks and shelter-belts described.

The April number of McCall's Magazine opens with an article on spring millinery, and there are others on "The World of Fashion," "Fashionable Fads," "New Styles for Young People," "The Importance of Being Well Dressed," "Reading Character by Handwriting," "What our Children are Wearing," "How Long you Should Sleep," and "What You Can Make from Old Gloves." There are also hygienic hints, information for housewives, hints about children, useful receipts, hints on letter writing and answers to correspondents. There are three colored plates—the first page being an illustration of an outdoor costume, and an array of illustrations of patterns of artistic fashion designs for ladies', misses', children's and infants' wear.

AT HARVARD BEFORE THE WAR.

One day in the latter part of the winter of 1897-98, when the probability of war with Spain was becoming constantly greater and greater, there appeared in the Harvard Crimson a notice to the effect that military drill would be undertaken at Harvard if a sufficient number signified their desire to take part. The notice was signed by Lieutenant Robinson, then instructor in military science in the university.

Supposing that perhaps 25 or 30 might present themselves, and anticipating a certain conspicuousness in volunteering, it was only after due deliberation that I sent in my name and the hours at which I was free. Imagine, then, my surprise when, at the appointed time, some 200 men turned out.

The scramble for rifles, old Springfields that had long been laid away, revealed the fact that there were not half enough to go around, so, while some formed in line, the rest mounted the fence which surrounded the impromptu drill ground—the court behind the gymnasium—warmed their feet by kicking the boards and laughed at the mistakes of their fellows. It was an amusing sight, and yet one could not but see the solemn side of it, too. No one knew but that in the next few months some or all these young fellows, only just fresh from the schools, might be called out to risk their lives against the Spaniards. However remote the contingency was, it certainly existed and one saw in this first drill the beginning of preparations to meet it.

In due time I found myself standing in a wavering line, grasping a gun I scarcely knew how, elbowing, pushing and trying all the time to keep my heels together, my chest out and my head up. Suddenly "Dress to the right!" shouted the officer in charge, and my military experience had begun.

The manual of arms and elements of drill are not picked up in a moment. It requires patient practice before one can toss the rifle up from the order, bring it to right shoulder and cut the left hand down with sharpness promptly on the third count. It was days before there was anything like simultaneousness in our movements. Time and again I found my rifle dropping to the order with the bore out. At last, after I had guiltily whisked it around a dozen times, the man who was drilling us cried out to an assistant: "Sergeant, see that that man gets his gun down right!" And you may be sure that the extra touch of care I took after that soon cured my defect. The drill-master to whom I refer was a student, a little fellow, with such a way of using his eyes that you never knew whether he was looking at you or not. He was an excellent leader and made every one toe the mark. When he cried "No talking in the ranks" the most garrulous held his peace. He knew that "Jones, fall out" would follow in short order.

Men competent to instruct volunteered from all branches of the university, and instructors in the college, would-be ministers, lawyers and doctors found themselves trotting about the yard and clumsily manipulating their arms under the direction of callow undergraduates.

Before the spring recess our efforts were chiefly confined to the manual and to simple evolutions of companies of eight or 16 men, but in April our field of action was broadened, and skirmishing, rifle practice and drilling of large bodies with more complicated manoeuvres became the order of the day, while the addition of campaign hats and cartridge belts gave the men quite a military appearance.

The athletic fields were for the time transformed into miniature battlegrounds, where rang out the quick cry of command, the rattle of drums and the snap of the musketry. On one side a long line of men broke into double quick, then suddenly stopped, dropped to their knees, aimed, fired and were off again. On the other side a company rested from their efforts, their arms stacked before them, while still another body stiff and erect went through the manual with military precision. This interest in military matters continued well into May, when, as examination time drew near, the attendance gradually fell off until but a few small companies were left.

Not many of those who took part in this work actually fought in the war. Fortunately there was no need for them to do so. But certainly no one was the worse for this bit of military training, for this suggestion of the experience which comes to every soldier before he is fitted to march with his comrades into the field. H.

Princess Hotel, Bermuda, Feb. 28, 1900.

A SOLDIER PREACHER IN NATAL.

"He was standing at eventide facing the rough and rugged heights of Enslin. The crimson-tinted clouds that emblazoned the sky cast a ruddy radiance around his head and face, making him appear like one of those ancient martyrs one is apt to see in stained-glass windows in Old-World churches in Rome or Venice. His feet were firmly planted close to the graves of the British soldiers and sailors who had fallen when we beat the Boers and drove them back upon Modder river. In one hand he held a little well-worn Bible; his other hand was raised high above his close-cropped head, while his voice rang out on the sultry storm-laden air like the clang of steel on steel—'Prepare to meet yer Gawd!'

"No one who looked at the neat, strong figure arrayed in the plain khaki uniform of a private soldier, at the clean shaven, square-jawed face, at the fearless gray-blue eyes, could doubt either his honesty or earnestness. Courage was imprinted by nature's never-erring hand on every lineament of his Saxon features. So might one of Cromwell's stern-browed warriors have stood on the eve of Marston Moor.

"On the soldier-preacher's breast a long row of decorations gleamed, telling of honorable service to queen and country. Before a man could wear those ribbons he must have faced death as brave men face it on many a battlefield. He must have known the agonies of the thirst, the dull, dead pain of sleepless nights and midnight marches, the tireless watching at the sentry's post and onward rush of armed men up heights almost unscalable.

"Rough as the thrust of a broken bayonet was his speech, unskilled in rhetoric his tongue, his periods unrounded as flying fragments of flying shrapnel shell, yet all who listened knew that every word came from the speaker's soul, from the magazine of truth. Some London slum had been his cradle, the gutters of the great city the only university his feet had known. The coster's dialect was native to his tongue, yet no smug churchman crowned with the laurels of the schools could so have stirred the blood of those bold lads fresh from the boundless bush and lawless mining camps beneath Australian suns.

"It was no new figure that he placed before us. It was the same indignant Christ that swept the rubble from the temple, the same great Christ who calmly faced the seething mob in Pilate's judgment hall, the same sweet Christ who took the babes upon his knee, the same divine Christ who with hyssop and gall and mingled blood and tears passed death's dreadful portals on the dark brow of Calvary; the same grand figure, but quaintly dressed in words that savored of the London slums and of the soldiers' camp, and yet so edged around with earnest love and childlike faith that all its grossest trappings fell away and left us nothing but the ideal Christ. Once more we heard the distant batteries speak. Then all was hushed except the preacher's voice.

"Prepare to meet yer Gawd. I come ter tell yer all abart a general whose armies hold ther city of eternal life. If you are wounded throw yer rifles down and 'e will send the ambulance of 'is love, with Red Cross angels and His adjutant, whose name is mercy, to dress yer wounds. Throw down yer rifles 'nd surrender. No rebels can enter the city of eternal life. You can't storm ther walls or take ther gates at ther point of ther bayonit, for ther ramparts are guarded 'nd ther sentries never sleep. An' when ther bugles sound ther last reville you will ever 'ear, 'nd ther colonel, whose name is death, gives the order ter march; you will have nothink to fear abart if yer bandoliers are full of faith 'nd yer rifles are sighted with good works. Yer uniforms may be ragged, and you may not even have a corporal stripe to show, but if yer can pass ther sentries fearlessly you'll find a general's commission waiting for yer just inside the gate. But yer can't fool my general. Remember this, ther pass word is 'repentance.' 'nd nothink else will do. The sentry on duty will see yer comin' and will challenge yer. 'Who goes there?' 'Friend.' 'Advance, friend, 'nd give the countersign.' If you say, 'good works,' you will find his bayonet up against yer chest. If you say you forgot to get it, you'll be in 'ell in the twinkling of an eye; but if you say, loud and clear, 'repentance,' he'll lower his bayonet and say, 'Pass, friend, all's well.'"—[Yorkshire Post.

MINOR EVILS OF WAR.

We have heard a great deal from both sides during the present Boer war of the wanton destruction of property by soldiers, but a letter from a Mrs. Woods, who is the wife of a member of the legislative assembly of Natal, is the strongest testimony that has been given. Mrs. Woods returned to her home when the Boers had retired from it, after a four days' encampment there. She found everything in her house except what had been useful to the invaders smashed where it stood, or littered about the floors, the yard and the home fields; a 70-guinea piano had been hacked with a hatchet. Her treasures of bric-a-brac, her paintings, mirrors, lamps, books, papers and music were a filthy wreckage of the dining room and sitting room, where horses and cattle had been stabled. A family Bible lay among the refuse, and a torn copy of "Hymns, Ancient and Modern," had been thrown out into the meadow; precisely Livingstone's experience of these same people. Mrs. Woods gives a long and precise inventory, but it is interrupted by a cry of womanly protest.

"No one above the status of a pig could behave as these Boers have done, and a naked Zulu is a perfect gentleman in his habits compared with the Free Stater. Being only a woman, after the first sense of nausea which overcame me at the awful sight, I am not ashamed to say that I wept amid the ruins. There are things in every woman's household which are probably of little intrinsic value, but are nevertheless sacred in the eyes of a wife and mother. Such things as letters, portraits of the living and the dead, school prizes, presentation books, presents from our nearest and dearest—these are of little value to outsiders, but how precious to a woman! For instance, the cradle in which all my children were rocked; all their little clothes—treasures of nearly 24 years' hoarding; their first school letters, their locks of baby hair, letters of courtship and matrimony, keepsakes and photographs—surely the wretches might have left me these."—[Washington Star.

WATER-SUPPLY PLANTS.

The water supply plants of the United States are stated by Mr. Allen Hazen to have reached 3,200 in 1897, about three fourths of them being operated by pumping. Only about one tenth of the cities and towns have filtered water supplies, although the importance of filtration in lessening typhoid fever is generally recognized. Mr. Hazen favors slow filtration through sand-beds, but finds that filters of this kind are used in the United States only by cities of an aggregate population of 260,000, but in England by cities of 10,200,000 inhabitants, and by a total population in the world of 21,400,000. Mechanical filters are employed by an aggregate population of nearly 1,500,000 in the United States and Canada, although practically unused in other countries.

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To make room for spring plants. This is your time, ladies, to decorate your windows for a small price. Come quick for they will sell fast.
HASS, 334 Thames Street.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, March 9, 8 A. M.—For Rhode Island and Connecticut—Generally fair tonight and Saturday; fresh southerly winds shifting to westerly.

BOSTON AND VICINITY.

BOSTON, March 9, 8 A. M.—For Boston and vicinity—Fair weather tonight and Saturday; southwest to west winds.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The weather of the country today is generally fair, though there is considerable local cloudiness. The precipitation of the past 24 hours has been confined to local rains on the south Atlantic and northern Pacific coasts. The disturbance which was over the eastern gulf has moved northeast and off the south Atlantic coast, but is so far at sea that it does not promise to affect north Atlantic coast sections. The low pressure which was in the Northwest has divided and diminished, this morning only a weak depression remaining over the upper lake region and British Columbia.

J. W. SMITH,
Local Forecast Official.

LOCAL CONDITIONS.

March 9.	8 h	12 h	14 h
Temperature,	37	41	47
Barometer,	30.24	30.10	30.14
Wind,	SW	SE	SE
Weather,	Clear	Cloudy	Cloudy

MINIATURE CALENDAR.

FRIDAY, MARCH 9.

Sun rises	6 h 07 m
Sun sets	17 h 43 m
Moon sets	2 h 05 m
Length of day	11 h 36 m
Day's increase	2 h 32 m
High water	2 h 05 m; 14 h 45 m

SATURDAY, MARCH 10.

Sun rises	6 h 06 m
Sun sets	17 h 45 m
Moon sets	2 h 50 m
Length of day	11 h 39 m
Day's increase	2 h 23 m
High water	3 h 10 m; 15 h 16 m

SUNDAY, MARCH 11.

Sun rises	6 h 04 m
Sun sets	17 h 46 m
Moon sets	3 h 27 m
Length of day	11 h 42 m
Day's increase	2 h 38 m
High water	4 h 08 m; 16 h 40 m

MONDAY, MARCH 12.

Sun rises	6 h 03 m
Sun sets	17 h 47 m
Moon sets	3 h 58 m
Length of day	11 h 15 m
Day's increase	2 h 41 m
High water	4 h 58 m; 17 h 25 m

Moon's Phases.

Full Moon, March 16, 3 h 12 m, W.
Last Quarter, March 24, 6 h 36 m, E.
New Moon, March 30, 15 h 30 m, W.
First Quarter, April 6, 15 h 55 m; E.

NEW TODAY.

Wanted—Man; 7th page.
Neil McLoman—Hats; 2d page.
Raymond Excursions; 5th page.
Carr—Olga Nethersole as Sapho; 8th page.
Probate Court—A. Farley Estate; 3d page.
Probate Court—T. D. Pike Estate; 3d page.
The Chas. E. Spooner Co.—Wheat; 6th page.
Probate Court—G. H. Norman Estate; 3d page.

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FOR SALE.
On Hanyman Hill, a property containing a large Swiss villa, stable, greenhouses, bowling alleys and 22 acres of land.
Also another property containing a Queen Anne cottage, with stable, etc., and about 12 acres of land. Both are on the hill at an elevation of 120 feet and command a fine view of the ocean at the south and Narragansett Bay on the north as well as the pretty valley running north and south just west of these properties. They can now be had at tempting prices and are also for rent.
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HENRY BULL, JR.,
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197 Thames Street.

For Sale.
Lot 45x90, on Elliott court, off Broadway, $900.
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Two-tenement property, Spruce court, (rented), $2,500.
Two-tenement property, 7 Extension street, (rented), $2,800.
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REAL ESTATE,
197 Thames Street.

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Miss E. S. Peckham, Masseuse.
General and facial massage. Treatments with electricity if desired. Also Swedish movements. 15 Newport avenue.

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Refers to DOCTOR DOUGLAS GRAHAM, BOSTON, by whom was graduated. 205 Spring street. Telephone 375-4.

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Furnished Cottages for the season of 1900.
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A. O'D. TAYLOR,
Building Sites, corner of Touro and Kay Streets, formerly the "Tooker Estate."
Two lots: one, 68 feet front on Touro street by 100 deep; and one, 68 feet on Touro and 100 on Kay street; each lot 6,800 feet. Price on application.
The attention of professional men and gentlemen seeking sites for private residences is specially directed to this choice locality.
Office, 124 Bellevue Avenue.
Telephone No. 320.

DIED.

GAYNOR—In this city, 9th inst., at her home, 23 Byrnes court, Mary Gaynor, aged 71 years.
SULLIVAN—In Las Vegas, New Mexico, 3d inst., Charles Sullivan, aged 21 years.
Funeral Saturday, March 10, from the residence of his mother, Mrs. James Mead, at 8:30 A. M., and from St. Joseph's Church at 9 o'clock.
Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.
HAMMETT—In this city, 8th inst., Abby R., wife of John R. Hammett.
Funeral services at her late residence, 12 Golden Hill street, Monday afternoon, 12th inst., at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.
TILLEY—In this city, 8th inst., Abram A. Tilley, in the 19th year of his age.
Funeral services at the First Baptist Church, Sunday, March 11, at 2:30 P. M. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.
TIERNEY—In Central Falls, R. I., 8th inst., James C., infant son of John J. and B. Agnes Tierney.
BEEDLE—In East Providence, 8th inst., Mary A., wife of George W. Beedle, in her 73d year.
BRADFORD—In Johnston, 7th inst., Laura A., widow of Willard Bradford, in her 85th year.
NEWTON—In New York city, 7th inst., Thomas Pitman, son of Simon and Emily Newton, in the 62d year of his age.
Funeral service at Belmont Memorial Chapel, Saturday, March 10, at 12:30 o'clock.

ROBERT C. COTTRELL, Undertaker and Embalmer, 322 & 324 Thames street. Residence, 304 Mill street. Telephone at office and residence.

JAMES A. DUNPHY, Undertaker and Embalmer, graduate Massachusetts College of Embalming, 613 Thames street. Residence 6 Mount Vernon street. Telephone at office and residence.

Health for ten cents. Cascarets make the bowels and kidneys act naturally, destroy microbes, cure headaches, biliousness and constipation. All druggists.

Early Tours to the Paris Exposition.

The Paris Exposition of 1900 will open April 15, and in connection therewith Messrs. Raymond & Whitcomb, the well-known excursion managers, have arranged a special series of trips. The first of these will leave New York on the North German Lloyd steamer, Kaiserin Maria Theresia, April 24, and after spending the time from April 30 to May 9 in London will arrive in Paris where there will be a sojourn of two weeks, the party arriving back in New York May 29. The second party will sail from Boston April 25 on the steamer New England, and will give the tourist four weeks in Paris and a week in London, arriving back in Boston June 15. The third party will sail from New York April 28, on the Atlantic Transport steamer Marquette, and after a week in London will have two weeks in Paris. In London the members of all the parties will stop at the Hotel Russell, and in Paris will make their headquarters at the Trocadero Hotels.

For Sale.
4 excellent building sites on Gardiner street. Sewer, gas, and water in the street. 1 full house lot on Bliss road. A bargain at price to close out the West Providence Land Co.'s holding. 1 fine building lot on Bliss road, 50 feet front by 120 feet in depth. 4 lots on Gibbs avenue at reasonable prices; one a corner lot. Cottage of 8 rooms besides bath room, containing bath, closet and bowl. Kelsey hot air heater. House built in the fall of 1899 and situated on the corner of Dartmouth and Channing streets. Can be bought on easy terms.
SIMEON HAZARD, Real Estate Agent,
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New Arrivals.
Car Excellent Wheat ($1.25 per hundred, $23 a ton).
Car "Chicken" Cracked Corn (the nicest that can be milled).
Car Choice Winter Mixed Feed (direct from St. Louis).
And a large invoice of all kinds of HAY SEED (fresh stock).
H. L. MARSH & CO.
Telephone 208.

Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs.
50 dozen ladies' initial handkerchiefs, slightly soiled, regular 25c. handkerchiefs, at
12 1-2c. each.
All letters. No more to be had when sold.
Wm. B. Sherman, Jr.,
201 THAMES STREET.

Path Gravel.
BLUE CRUSHED STONE PATH GRAVEL. THERE IS NONE BETTER, NONE HANDSOMER, NONE THAT WILL WEAR BETTER, AND ONLY ONE PLACE YOU CAN GET IT. ADDRESS PECKHAM BROS., MIDDLETOWN, R. I.

CANAL MAY BE DEFENDED.

Amendment to Hay-Pauncefote Treaty Accepted in Committee.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—The Senate committee on foreign relations today agreed to report the Hay-Pauncefote treaty amending the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, with an amendment granting authority for the defense of the canal by this country when constructed.

The committee was practically unanimous in favor of the amendment to the treaty. Some objection was made by Senator Morgan of Alabama, but he will not oppose the measure in the Senate, accepting the change in order to hasten the action of the Senate. Quite an elaborate report has been prepared by Mr. Morgan, which will be submitted to the Senate in executive session when the treaty is reported. It is the opinion of the members of the committee that the Senate will with but little delay ratify the treaty as amended.

The amendment is brief. It simply provides that the restrictions in the treaty shall not operate to prevent the United States from using its own forces for the defense of the interest of the United States and the maintenance of order.

The following is the text of the amendment:

"It is agreed, however, that none of the immediately foregoing conditions and stipulations in sections No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 of this act shall apply to measures which the United States may find it necessary to take for securing by its own forces the defense of the United States and the maintenance of public order."

Senator Morgan was the only member of the committee who cast his vote against the amendment, Senators Bacon and Daniel, the only other Democrats present, voting with the Republicans. They also voted with the Republicans to have the treaty reported as amended.

Senator Morgan talked at length during the debate on the amendment. He contended for the utmost liberality toward other powers in the use of the proposed canal and held that American interests were fully safeguarded by that treaty as it stands. He also contended that an effort to amend the agreement might result in its defeat and indicated a purpose to oppose it to the utmost.

While no member was authorized to speak for the committee on invalid pensions, today, it was expressed that the government of that country would agree to the proposed modification of the treaty.

TO BE CALLED UP TOMORROW.

House Bill for Porto Rico Relief Reported to the Senate.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—At the opening of today's session of the Senate, Mr. Allison of Iowa reported from the committee on appropriations the House bill making appropriations of customs dues exacted from the island of Porto Rico from October 18, 1898, to January 1, 1900, amounting to $2,095,455, and gave notice that he would call up the measure tomorrow. He said that, as the measure was well understood, he hoped and believed it would lead to no extended debate.

When routine business had been finished Mr. Mason called up his motion entered yesterday to discharge the foreign relations committee from further consideration of his resolution expressing the sympathy of the Senate with the Boers "in their heroic struggle with Great Britain." The motion was laid before the Senate.

Mr. Davis, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, moved that the doors be closed, and the Senate at 12:20 p. m. went into executive session.

After being in secret legislative and executive session for nearly two hours, the Senate, at 2:20 p. m., proceeded again to open legislative session.

Mr. Lindsay of Kentucky took the floor to address the Senate on the Porto Rico tariff and government bill.

PRIVATE PENSION BILLS.

Under Consideration in the House Committee of the Whole.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—Under the new rule adopted by the House yesterday, setting aside the second and fourth Fridays of each month for the consideration of private pension bills, Mr. Sulloway of New Hampshire, chairman of the committee on invalid pensions today, immediately after the reading of the journal, moved that the House go into committee of the whole for the consideration of private pension bills.

True to his announced intention of insisting upon the presence of a quorum, Mr. Talbert of South Carolina made the point of no quorum. The Speaker was unable to count more than 116 members present and the doors were closed and a call of the House ordered. Many absentees appeared during the call, and it developed the presence of 218 members.

The House in committee of the whole, Mr. Lacey of Iowa in the chair, then proceeded to the consideration of private pension bills.

WHAT THE WOOL GROWERS WANT.

Northwestern Association Makes Recommendations for Legislation.

BOISE CITY, Idaho, March 9.—At a joint meeting of the Idaho Wool Growers' Association and the Northwest Wool Growers' Association, comprising sheep growers of Oregon, Idaho, Washington and Utah, strong resolutions were unanimously adopted, endorsing the proposal of the government to make a classified census of the live stock of the country, asking Congress to pass the Senate bill increasing the power of the inter-state commerce commission and the bill extending the time of keeping stock in cars while in transit from 28 to 40 hours.

Resolutions were also adopted against the leasing of the arid lands of the Western states, and against the alleged efforts of certain chemists to have the bureau of animal industry discontinue the free distribution of black leg vaccine virus.

MATE AND TWO SAILORS RESCUED.

All the Rest of a Crew of 50 Men Probably Lost.

CALAIS, France, March 9.—British steamer Windsor, here from Leith, Scotland, reports that British steamer Cuvier, from Antwerp for Brazil, was sunk in collision with an unknown steamer. The Windsor picked up the second mate and two seamen belonging to the Cuvier, the rest of whose crew, it is feared, was drowned.

The Cuvier was a freight steamer and probably carried a crew of about 50 men. She was last reported arrived at Liverpool February 15 from New Orleans, via Norfolk.

WASHED OFF THE BOWSPRIT.

Man Rescued, Apparently Dead, and Restored to Life.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., March 9.—Schooner Kentucky, Captain Trior, arrived here from Georgia this morning, with a story of a miraculous escape from drowning of one of her crew, Nathan Picco, who while engaged in furling a jib last Sunday was washed off the bowsprit. A gale was blowing at the time, but Picco's body was recovered. He was apparently dead, but after several hours' work the men succeeded in resuscitating him.

New Shipbuilding Company to Locate at New London.

NEW LONDON, Conn., March 9.—The Eastern Shipbuilding Company, recently organized with abundant financial backing, has decided to locate its shipyard on the Thames river at New London. The company already has contracts for two of the largest freight and passenger steamships ever built, vessels which in tonnage and dead weight capacity will be the largest in the world. Several available sites on the Thames river are under consideration.

New Haven Lumber Company Fails.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 9.—The affairs of the J. Gibb Smith Company, one of the largest lumber concerns in this city, have been placed in the hands of a receiver. The managers of the company claim that the liabilities will not exceed $100,000, while the assets are estimated at $150,000. The present difficulty is attributed to the dullness in the building trade. The New Haven Trust Company has been named as receiver.

No Colonists in Distress at La Gloria, Cuba.

NEW YORK, March 9.—E. G. Rideout, general manager of colonizing enterprises at La Gloria, Cuba, writes to say, in response to a recent despatch from Havana, that no colonists are in distress at La Gloria and that none have ever asked government aid or received assistance from the quartermaster's department. Mr. Rideout says 300 persons are now at La Gloria and that 90 per cent are happy and contented.

For the Destitute Porto Ricans.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—Arrangements are being made by the subsistence and quartermaster's departments to forward 500 tons of food supplies, including rice and codfish, to the destitute people of Porto Rico. The supplies will be shipped on transport Kilpatrick, leaving New York March 14 for San Juan.

LOW RECORD MEN KICK HIGH.

At the Young Men's Christian Association gymnasium last evening the handicap competition was the high kick. The best kick was 8 feet ½ inch, but the low-record men again surpassed themselves, and with the aid of a big handicap came to the front. The three best records made were: D. E. Y. Whitford, 6 feet 8¼ inches—45 points, with 58 handicap, 103. Elton Peckham, 8 feet ¼ inch—77 points, 24 handicap, 101. E. L. D. James, 7 feet 1½ inches—55 points, 36 handicap, 91. The three leading scores to date, out of a possible of 300, are: E. L. D. James, 249; William James, 243; E. S. James, 242—and they are all brothers.

AT THE PHILHARMONIC.

The rehearsal at the Philharmonic Society last evening was devoted to the study of the choruses in Mendelssohn's "Hymn of Praise," which will be given at the concert May 17. The intermission was a reading by Mr. Gardner S. Perry, "An Interview with Brahms," being extracts from a notable new book concerning the great composer, by Professor Dietrich. The reading was of especial interest to the society, in view of the fact that the German Requiem was sung here so recently. Mrs. Freeborne's intermission date is fixed for next week, March 15.

MISS ZITKALA-SA.

Miss Zitkala-Sa, whose "Recollections of an Indian Childhood," lately published in the Atlantic, has been interesting everybody so much, was the guest of the Cecilia at a recent rehearsal, which made the occasion one of unique interest. The club is rehearsing the Hiawatha music for the coming concert, and Miss Zitkala-Sa, a veritable Minnehaha herself, recited the famine scene from the poem, with great beauty and pathos. She is of a strongly marked and beautiful Indian type, the charm made complete by the picturesque costume of her people. Her voice is strangely musical, her English pure and swayed through all by the rythm of her native tongue. Miss Zitkala-Sa goes to Washington to give this same reading at the Longfellow memorial, after which she will return here to continue her study of the violin.—[Boston Herald.

Brookfield Farm Eggs,

5 dozen for $1.

Brookfield Farm Cream, very thick and heavy, 30c. a jar.

TURKEYS, for Saturday, 14c. per lb.

—AT—

BROWN'S MARKET.

MEAT TRADE A TRIFLE.

Would America Destroy Her German Exports for Its Sake?

BERLIN, March 9.—In the Reichstag today, during the discussion on the meat bill, Count Von Hanitz, the agrarian leader, observed that America's share of the imports of prepared meat was only $4,000,000, which, he declared, was a trifle compared with the immense figures of America's balance of trade. America, he added, would surely not herself destroy her huge exports to Germany on account of the exclusion of her meat from this country.

The Reichstag eventually adopted by varying majorities paragraphs one, two and 14 of the meat bill. Paragraph 14, relating to the prohibition on meat imports, was adopted by a vote of 168 to 99.

Wakefield Woolen Mills Working Overtime.

WAKEFIELD, March 9.—The woolen industry in this town is picking up to a considerable extent. At the plant of the Peacedale Manufacturing Company, fine woolens, where 150 hands are employed, they are running overtime in several departments in order to fill orders on time.

BLOCK ISLAND'S TIDAL WAVE.

When steamer G. W. Danielson arrived from Block Island this morning there were a number of inquisitive people on the wharf, ready to learn whether the reported tidal wave at the island yesterday was a "pipe dream" or a fact. One of the passengers, when asked from the dock about the wave, said he had not heard much about it.

Finally Mr. Mitchell, after landing, stated that there had been such a tidal phenomenon as was reported. It was in the forenoon, between 10 and 11 o'clock, that his attention was called to it. He said that, without any apparent disturbance near the shore, the tide seemed to rise and fall to about the usual limit. It took about five minutes to either rise or fall, with an interval of about two minutes at high and low water. Off shore the water seemed disturbed somewhat, and a vessel moored at a little distance shot about in a very strange way at each change of the tide. This continued for fully an hour, until he left. There was no damage. It was about half tide at the island at this time.

Captain Dodge of the Danielson said that similar, though very much smaller, waves were noticed during the afternoon and until dusk. The waves, though easily noticeable, were not particularly large in the afternoon.

DISTRICT COURT.

There was a large and, in prospective, very much interested gathering at the district court room this morning. Later there was a disappointed set of men, with nothing else to do, who had been disappointed in losing their enjoyment of a session of the court.

In the absence of Judge Baker, Clerk Gilman acted as judge pro tem. The Tiverton case against liquors and vessels of Ida White came up and the liquors were ordered confiscated. The case against Mrs. Cecile Smith, charged with causing the death of Mrs. Nightingale, was withdrawn. On the other warrant, on which Mrs. Smith had bail, she was released after the case had been continued to March 13.

The crowd was disappointed that Mrs. Smith was allowed to remain in the sheriff's office, as it was known she was not to be arraigned, and when the spectators had filed out to get a view of her they found they were too late.

AT MASONIC HALL.

Aunt Jemima's Album at Masonic hall last evening was a unique entertainment. It consisted of a recital by Mrs. Mercie E. Reed (Aunt Jemima) of the story of the experiences of her life, her courtship, marriage and life on the farm at Stony Hollow, illustrated by about 25 living portraits depicting her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and others mentioned in her quaint talk, the series ending with portraits of herself and her aged husband after 52 years of happy wedded life. The arrangement for showing the pictures was simple and effective, and the portraits were pleasing in the costumes of former days. During the evening a quartet consisting of Misses Gosling and Bailey and Messrs. Hodson and Hildreth rendered appropriate songs, accompanied by Mr. Molden on the piano. The hall was well filled.

The participants in the album pictures were Messrs. Reuben Peckham, William Macauley, Daniel Smith, Hammett Burnham, John McKay, Philip MacVicar, Le-Roy Sanborn, Isaac Stoddard and Ogilvie; Mrs. Gallagher, Mrs. George Taylor, Mrs. Kennon, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon, Mrs. Mercie Reed, Miss Kathryn Kennon, Miss Ella Lawton, Miss Easton, Miss Grace McManus, Miss Sadie Lee, Miss Annie Lee, Miss Florence Sanborn, Miss Helen Stoddard, Miss Beth Reynolds, Miss Anna Algers and Miss Marion Haire.

JAMESTOWN.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

Paul D. Cravath and Agnes H. Cravath, his wife, have sold to Annie E. Richardson two acres of land, a portion of the Cottrell farm, bounded northerly on land of D. L. Hazard, easterly by Narragansett bay, southerly by Racquet road and westerly by land of the Cottrell estate.

Town Clerk Caswell yesterday posted the voting list. There is an increase of about 40 names over last year, most of these being registry voters.

Mr. Elwood R. Hull of Block Island is in town for a few days.

Mr. Lionel Champlin has gone to Providence.

NAVAL RESERVES INSPECTED.

The Newport Naval Reserve Torpedo Company was inspected by Adjutant General Sackett at the state armory last evening. Lieutenant Charles E. Lawton was in command, with Ensign Richardson and Boatswain's Mate Briggs in charge of the detachments. The company turned out with practically full ranks, only one member being absent, and was drilled in the manual of arms and signal work, and with the field gun. Adjutant General Sackett inspected the arms and equipments and found them in excellent condition, and also made an inspection of the building. Commander W. McCarty Little accompanied the inspecting officer.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Revenue Cutter Dexter arrived this afternoon.

—The Newport Journal and Weekly News will be issued this evening.

—Spiles are being placed in position for the Torpedo Station launches at Ferry wharf.

—Steam lighter Archer is here, to do the work at the Providence line pier at Narragansett Pier.

—Paymaster I. G. Hobbs, U. S. N., who is here on waiting orders, is daily expecting to be ordered to sea.

—John Grady and George P. Gross of Boston and C. Wilcke, H. C. Russell and C. B. Rickelsee of New York, are registered at the Perry House.

—A contract has been made with Thomas Preece to move the stone crusher to the Brown & Howard quarry and city men have begun work clearing the new site.

—Mr. and Mrs. John R. Drexel have concluded to go to Mexico and not to California, as previously decided upon. They will start shortly and take a large party with them.

—A draft of 30 boys from Chicago and one of 16 from Philadelphia were received at the Naval Training Station this morning, making a total of 405 apprentices now at the Station.

—Steamer Providence has been hauled again into her old berth at Long wharf and will not go to Providence. Instead, steamer Rhode Island will be sent away early next week, when the work on her is completed.

—Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish has returned from Florida and last evening gave an informal dinner at her New York residence, among her guests being Miss Greta Pomeroy, Mr. J. DeWolf Cutting and Mr. Philip Clark.

—Slight fluctuations in the height of the tide, with some minutes between, were noticed in the harbor yesterday, corresponding to the phenomena at Block Island. The fall and rise was so gradual, however, that few observed it.

—William Picken, while engaged this morning picking up small wood at the Tooker house on Kay street, was seriously injured by a section of the wall falling upon him. He was hurt about the head and his left leg was fractured, and he was taken to the hospital in the ambulance.

—Mr. and Mrs. Pembroke Jones will soon go abroad for an extended trip in Mr Harry Walters's steam yacht Narada. Mr. and Mrs. Jones will return and come to Newport late in the summer. Mr. Jones has rented Mrs. J. P. Kernochan's cottage, "The Cloisters," which he occupied last year.

MOVING BUILDINGS AND CUTTING TREES.

To the Editor of the News:

Sir: Much feeling has been stirred up by the proposal to cart or haul an old stable, bought for $175, from its birthplace at the Touro street end of Kay street to a new home selected for it on upper or eastern Everett street. The spot is directly behind an excellent house recently purchased by a new-comer to the vicinity and is a part of the land he bought and paid for. His right to erect any building there, not offensive to the public, should not be questioned. It now appears that, like the celebrated John Gilpin (of London town not of Newport),

"Although he was on pleasure bent
He had a frugal mind."

For, in addition to securing the pleasure of an attractive home, he had the idea of adding a stable and carriage house for his business in the immediate rear of his home.

The gentleman is a most respectable dealer in articles very salutarious and inoffensive in themselves, and at first sight it seems strange that any one should object to the indefensible right of a citizen to use his own land for horses, men and wagons required in his business. But it seems this introducing a business element into a neighborhood hitherto devoted to private residences is resented by many. This should not be so. Men and women of reflection ought to see that is only one little step of the same character which has transformed a large portion of the once fashionable Fifth avenue of New York into a business district. The old residential parts of Newport cannot hope forever to claim exemption from similar encroachment. An opportunity to purchase a very large building at a very low rate arose at the recent Tooker sale of buildings, to be removed from Touro street, and the gentleman referred to bought an unwieldy stable, and proposes to transfer it to his own estate.

His future neighbors contend that such an erection, entirely different from an ordinary private stable in the corner of a lot and not fronting thereon, will depreciate the selling value of adjacent sites, and that it will shut light away from an attractive and pretty little house lately erected on the adjoining lot on Everett street. Such considerations are only sentimental, and seem founded on the curious misconception that some unwritten law exists which obliges a man, when he buys a piece of land "without restrictions," to respect the existing usages and the feelings of the neighbors among whom he seeks to be acclimatized. Thought and courtesy for others, and a desire to avoid inconveniencing one's neighbors, are not at all times compatible with self-interest, and it is absurd to suppose the law can recognize the altruistic element, unless conduct arises which endangers public health or safety. A business man who has had the sagacity to see that he can combine a residence for his family and business stables, with advantage, deserves admiration not blame. So far for the owner's rights.

But there is an antecedent consideration to the ultimate destination of this stable, which is a very different matter and which seriously involves the rights of citizens. It is this: If this old stable cannot be removed except along Kay street, one of the most beautiful streets of Newport in summer as regards luxuriance and variety of foliage, are the splendid old trees which in the summer and autumn arch that leafy avenue to be ruthlessly destroyed or mutilated? Are they to be hacked and lopped by the axe, solely to benefit one individual, to the detriment of perhaps 40 different real estate holders along the route? "The greatest good for the greatest number" is an ancient and approved maxim, and its application in the present instance should surely prevent the issuing of any municipal permission to let this stable trail what may be its baleful way along Kay street.

The same legal arguments which permit the removal of branches that may obstruct the passage of vehicles, beasts of burden and human beings, when branches overhang pathways or roads, fail to apply to the transportation of buildings. One is a necessary part of the life of a community; the other an infraction only to be permitted under special circumstances. The normal place for a building is where it was built; and it is an abnormal event in the life of a building if it has to be moved over a public thoroughfare. Municipal authorities have no right to permit such removal, if it is likely to cause damage to other taxpayers, deface their property or destroy existing conditions which have for years accumulated and added to value.

The trees in the threatened area on Kay street belong to the abutters, and common justice to these owners seems to indicate that their beautiful, trees, which have taken most of half a century to grow to their present stature and grace, should not be tampered with for the benefit of any one individual. General benefit to the community is not the question at stake. It is the private benefit of one versus the enjoyment of the public, and many individual rights—called into being by Nature's bountiful action—of scores of worthy, old residents of Newport.

If permission be granted by the board of aldermen for this dangerous experiment in transit, a heavy bond to guard against damages ought fairly to be sought by the municipal authorities, from contractor and owner. They have the city solicitor to assist them and guide them safely in this dilemma.

After all, it is barely possible that, by slicing the stable into several sections, it might be carried through without much damage. If so, well; but if not, why should not the Kay street owners subscribe the $175 pro rata, and request the owner to abandon the threatened movement, further indemnifying him for all cost of carting away piecemeal, and consigning to oblivion the unfortunate cause of all this pother. Such a graceful abandonment by the owner of his project would be certain to enlist public sentiment strongly in his favor, and do him vastly more good in a business point of view than is likely to result from hauling an ungainly old stable over a trail of broken branches from some of Newport's most beautiful trees.

It is understood that a formal petition has been prepared and signed by all the abutters on Kay street, on this subject.

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CHANGES IN FASHIONS.

More Numerous During the Past Century Than Ever Before.

In examining the fashions that have prevailed during the nineteenth century one is struck by the fact that there have been more changes in this hundred years than during any similar period of time in the world's history. The dawn of the nineteenth century saw men in costumes that differed but slightly from those that had been worn for generations, but almost immediately these fashions underwent a change and since that time man's dress has been growing steadily more sedate.

At the beginning of the century men were just on the point of discarding the wigs that had been worn for so many years. At this time to wear a wig was a sign of respectability, and there were few persons who dared to set themselves in opposition to this custom. These wigs were of many kinds and shapes. In some the ends were plaited in a pigtail, in others the ends were thrust into a black silk bag, and the dandies of the period wore a "toupee" of curls raised high over the forehead.

Another indication of respectability at this time was the wearing of knickerbockers. At the time of Washington's inauguration as President this form of garment was so common among the gentry that Jefferson was charged with being a "demagogue" because he insisted upon wearing pantaloons. The fashions at this time were often very gaudy.

For ordinary wear, it is true, the breeches were usually of some snuff-colored cloth, but on state or other occasions of ceremony the coat, waistcoat and knickerbockers were all of gay colors. Ruffles of lace, lace frills and gold and silver embroidery were also worn and the linen was always of the finest quality.

While the appearance of the gentry in their gay garb could be described only as a riot of color, the fashions that were adopted by the masses were anything but attractive. They could not afford the knickerbockers, and so wore a pair of yellow buckskin or leathern breeches, set off by a shirt of some sedate check, a jacket of flannel and a felt cocked hat. While the gentry wore stockings of the finest material, in many colors, those worn by the masses were such as could be knit at home.

The fashions that predominated in America at this time were those that had been imported from England, and England still obtained her fashions from France. The advent of the new mode of dress, therefore, soon had its effect upon the people on this side of the Atlantic. Born as the result of the French revolution, the democratic ideas that it typified struck a responsive chord in the hearts of the citizens of the new republic, so that by the time Jefferson became President the knickerbocker of Colonial days had almost entirely disappeared. From that day dress ceased to be the distinguishing mark of social rank in the United States.

To trace the evolutions of man's dress from the beginning of the nineteenth century to the present day would be a tedious process. The changes have come by slow stages but they have been almost continuous and the effect has been seen in almost every article of masculine attire.

In 1850 the stock gave place to the linen collar, the neckties have changed from the lace ruffles to the many-hued affairs of the present day, while the hat has passed through an even greater variety of evolutions. Today, however, it can be said that the dress of the man is the most reasonable that has ever been worn and that the tendency of the time looks as much to comfort and health as to attractiveness of design or gaudiness of color.

In feminine fashions there have been just as many kaleidoscopic changes during the past hundred years. The last 50 years of the eighteenth century had been marked by extreme artificiality. Women wore enormous hoops and large structures of horse-hair were worn on the head to make the coiffure appear extremely large. In fact all kinds of artificialities were resorted to to emphasize the points that fashion had set apart as attractive.

While women followed such fashions, however, it is doubtful if they ever fully approved of them, for they were extremely glad to adopt the simple semi-classical attire that came into vogue at about the beginning of the present century. Then the gown fell in free folds from the shoulder and the waist that had been so small ceased to figure. If it was marked at all it was by a sash tied under the arm pits. The gowns were cut low in the neck and extremely short sleeves were worn. Out of doors the wearer was permitted the added protection of a shawl as well as gloves long enough to completely cover the bare arm.

In spite of its simple appearance this mode of dress was exceedingly expensive and could be adopted only by the wealthy. The masses still clung to the homespun, and the spinning wheel and hand looms were in common use in all parts of the country. For the very rich there were the imported English and French goods, for at this period all the dress material, like all the fashions, came from France, via England.

In 1805 the waist was lengthened and tight lacing came into vogue again. That it had ever gone out of fashion for a day is remarkable, for there was nothing that troubled our great-grandmothers less than the laws of health. Flannels were never worn, thin slippers and thinner hose were regarded as the only proper attire for the feet, and the fact that they lived in draughty and ill-ventilated houses made no difference in their mode of dress. In fact, as one examines the fashion plates of that period he is struck with amazement that any of the followers of feminine fashions should have outlived their experiences. That they did live speaks well for the hardiness of the race.

Since the beginning of the present century almost every six months has seen a change in the fashions for women, but it will be impossible, in a single article, to refer to more than a few of the most striking changes.

Up to 1805 the mode of dress remained materially the same and then the skirt was shortened and the waist lengthened. In 1812 the narrow skirts were richly embroidered around the hem and a turban-like headdress accompanied the low bodice. This mode of dress continued, with slight modifications, up to 1822, when the fashions underwent a very marked change. Bodices were more shapely, more pointed, and laced at the back, and we take our cross-over draperies from that period. The skirts widened and just touched the ground.

In 1828 the low bodices were rendered high by the use of lace pelerines and high ruffles and the hats, broad-brimmed and bedizened with flowers, made a very picturesque effect. In 1830 the side curls began to appear, and at about the same time the white muslin bodices, then called Canezons, that may be regarded as the forerunner of our modern blouse.

In 1837 the accession of the Queen of England brought about another change and youthful faces looked out charmingly from beneath the flaring brims of coal-scuttle bonnets, which were worn with long narrow veils. The method of the centre, sometimes plaited, the ends being caught round the ears. Coronets of hair were also worn, and elaborate plaits toward the crown of the head.

The next important change was about 1853, when crinolines once more appeared. This fashion was due to the Empress Eugenie, who sought to emulate the hoops of Queen Elizabeth and the royal ladies who succeeded her. In this more modern effort, however, the dignity and quietude of movement that characterized the earlier days was almost wholly lacking, and history will always be compelled to regard this as the ugliest period of this century's dress.

It was in 1860 that petticoats began to assume an unwonted importance and the much-trimmed skirts of the period were looped over brilliant woollen ones. It was not until the seventies that basqued bodices appeared, and with them came a variety of tunics, for the reign of the bustle was upon us. At this period bonnets were flat and lozenge-shaped and it was at the close of this decade that we began bair fringes.

Now that the nineteenth century is drawing to a close it is interesting to see what we have accomplished in the way of feminine attire. It must be admitted, in this connection, that the century can boast of having originated few useful ideas.

The coat and skirt are the most prominent innovations of the last decade, and they emphasize the changed condition of woman, her gymnastic education and her desire to participate in the sports of the time. Today the woman of the masses is ready to face any kind of weather in her coat and skirt and sailor hat, while her more fortunate sister adapts them to her athletic exercises. Outside of this the nineteenth century has accomplished little of moment in the matter of the reformation of dress, and the century closes in the midst of magnificence of ornamentations and richness of materials practically undreamed of in any other age of the world.—[Malcolm J. Richards.

PLAYING WITH FIRE.

One Child Dead and the Other Cannot Recover.

BOSTON, March 9.—Julius, the three-year-old son of Max Hurvitz, was burned to death, and his brother Benny, four years old, was badly burned as the result of playing with fire at their home on Lowell street here today. Mrs. Hurvitz left the children in the kitchen. Julius was playing around the stove, when his clothing caught fire. Hustitle brother went to his rescue and his clothing was also set on fire. The screams of the little ones brought a policeman and a teamster to their aid. Julius died on the way to the hospital and Benny is so badly burned that it is thought he cannot recover.

TEXAS CORPORATIONS WIN.

Hundreds of Franchise Tax Suits Thrown Out of Court.

AUSTIN, Texas, March 9.—The corporations of Texas won a big fight in the district court here in securing from Judge Morris an opinion throwing out of court the hundreds of franchise tax suits pending against all quasi-public corporations for taxes claimed to be due on their franchises. The contention was that such franchises were taxable the same as personal or real property, and under such contention hundreds of suits have been brought all over the state to recover taxes, in some instances as far back as 1880, and representing thousands upon thousands of dollars.

Preparing for the Populist Convention.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., March 9.—Arrangements for the national Populist convention are being rapidly perfected. As the new auditorium will seat but 4 000, it is planned to secure a huge tent seating 20,000 and offer it to the national committee. A number of temporary buildings 150 by 123 feet will be constructed to supply sleeping quarters.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Mr. E. W. Howard has gone to Hyde Park, N. Y.

—Mr. Louis L. Lorillard is in town.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Coudray are at the St. Denis Hotel, New York.

—Hon. and Mrs. R. B. Mitchell of Block Island are at the Perry House.

—Rev. Francis Tiffany will preach at the Channing Memorial Church Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence H. Mackay will sail for Scotland early next month.

—Mr. and Mrs. Potter Palmer will sail for Europe during the third week in April.

—Mrs. Elisha Dyer, Jr., of New York is here to inspect her new house on Bellevue avenue.

—Mrs. Edward Parker Deacon and her daughter, Miss Deacon, sailed for Europe a few days ago.

—Mrs. Noah Thompson and Miss Lila Booth have returned from a visit in New York and Brooklyn.

—Rev. J. H. Barbour of the Church of the Advent, Pawtucket, will preach at Emmanuel Church this evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Widener will sail for Europe March 28, to join Mrs. Widener's mother, Mrs. Pancoast, in Rome.

—Mr. Joshua B. Bacheller, who has been confined at home for several weeks, the result of a severe accident, is able to be out.

—Rev. George C. Baldwin, Jr., of Springfield, Mass., who preached at the Central Baptist Church last Sunday, will again occupy the pulpit next Sunday.

—The body of the late Charles Sullivan, who died in New Mexico, whither he had gone for the benefit of his health, arrived here last night by express. The funeral will take place tomorrow.

—The marriage of Miss Frances La Farge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John La Farge, to Mr. Edward H. Child will be celebrated at the home of the bride in this city about the middle of June. Miss La Farge will have no bridesmaids.

—It has been a little slow in reaching town, but here it is at last. The shore to the east and northeast of Castle Hill cove is reported to have been strewn with offal for some days and to have afforded a good feast for the crows, which promptly took advantage of the situation. Just how the swill got into that situation is a question, but it is said that it was there in large quantities.

—The "Green Lobster" Whist Club met at the home of Mr. Frederick A. Smith last evening. The first prizes were won by Mr. Bartholomew Smith and Miss Anastasia Hayes, the second by Mr. Alfonso F. Finerty and Miss Adah Sullivan, the booby by Mr. Joslin Fanlen and Miss Catherine E. Blake, and the second booby by Mr. John Mulhale and Miss Catherine Meehan. Re-

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[Correspondence of the Associated Press.]

RIO DE JANEIRO, Feb. 13.—The Bank of the Republic has agreed to pay to the government $50,000,000, cash, in release of all obligations to the government, amounting to $180,000,000, payable at different times and extending forward for a period of 18 years. By this move the government is released from all responsibility and obtains an immediate relief of the above amount.

Thomas Dawson, secretary of the United States legation, has sailed on Italian steamer Washington on a four months' leave of absence.

WILL BE HELD UP.

French Treaty Not Likely to be Ratified Within the Time Limit.

NEW YORK, March 9.—Senator Aldrich and the New England Senators who are acting with him in opposing ratification of the French treaty are asserting that they have practically secured a stay of proceedings which will prevent action on the treaty before March 24, the date upon which the treaty must either be approved or rejected, says a Washington special to the Herald.

As the subject is still pending in secret session, Senators are prohibited from discussing it for publication, but enough is known of the situation to justify the prediction that the treaty will not be ratified within the prescribed limits, and negotiations have been opened with the French government with a view to securing an extension of time in which to obtain a ratification.

TO INVADE THE FIELD.

Window Glass Workers Plan to Force Out the Manufacturers.

CHICAGO, March 9.—The Times-Herald says: Window glass workers are planning to force the manufacturers out of business. It has practically been decided to construct three large continuous "tank" furnaces for the manufacture of window glass, and to have them completed and in operation by September 15. This entering wedge will be followed by others as rapidly as the workmen can perfect plans. The scheme to invade the manufacturing field has been agitated among the workmen for several years.

The beginning was the establishment of several small co-operative factories in various parts of the country, and the success of these has made the workmen confident that they can enjoy the manufacturing as well as the labor end of the industry. The plan has been carefully worked out and submitted in detail to the "preceptories" all over the country. Every window glass worker in the United States is a member of a "preceptory," and the "preceptories" make up the National Window Glass Workers' Organization, which is known as Local Assembly 300, Knights of Labor. The question of engaging in the manufacture of window glass is now being voted upon in the "preceptories," and it is conceded throughout the gas belt of Indiana and the East that a unanimous vote will be given in the affirmative. The vote will be in the hands of the executive committee by March 20.

St. Louis Railroad Men Will Wait for an Answer.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 9.—The officials of the St. Louis Transit Company announced Wednesday to the employes, who Wednesday morning made certain demands, that they would not be prepared to give an answer to them until Saturday. At 2 o'clock this morning the meeting of the employes called to consider the company's answer ended, and the men said they had agreed to wait on the company until Saturday.

Rhode Island Pensions.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—Original—John H. Jenkins, Wickford. Increase—Michael C. Bierring, East Greenwich; Stephen W. Snow, Providence. Original widow's, etc (special February 21)—Sarah C. Kenyon, Natick; Eleanora S. Sprague, Providence.

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AMESBURY, Mass., March 9.—John Woodhead, the seven-year-old son of William Woodhead of this town, was instantly killed this morning by the elevator at the Atwoods Manufacturing Company's building. Young Woodhead, with two other boys, was playing on the elevator, and in some manner slipping down, his head became wedged between the floor of the car and the woodwork at the opening of the second floor of the building. His skull was crushed and he was dead before assistance could reach him.

Choate Starts for Cannes.

LONDON, March 9.—Mr. Joseph H. Choate started this morning to join his wife at Cannes, France.

Horses for the Army in the Philippines.

PORTLAND, Ore., March 9.—Transport Lennox, which sailed yesterday for Manila, took 450 head of horses for the army. The Lennox will stop at Hilo, where the horses will be landed and given a few days' rest.

Congressman Burton Re-nominated.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 9.—Congressman T. E. Burton was last night renominated by the Republicans of the Twenty-first Ohio district.

THE TRADES.

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SUNDAYS for BOSTON, 7:00, 11:00 a. m.; 3:00, 5:00 p. m. Return, 6:27, 8:15 a. m.; 12:15, 4:28 p. m. For PROVIDENCE, 7:00, 11:00 a. m.; 3:00, 5:00 p. m. Return, 7:30, 9:30 a. m.; 1:30, 3:30, 5:30 p. m. For PORTSMOUTH GROVE, 7:00, 11:00 a. m.; 3:00, 5:00, e9:15 p. m. For MIDDLETOWN, PORTSMOUTH, BRISTOL FERRY, TIVERTON, FALL RIVER, SOMERSET, DIGHTON, NORTH DIGHTON, WEIR VILLAGE and TAUNTON, 7:00, 11:00 a. m.; 3:00, 5:00, e9:15 p. m. NEW BEDFORD, 7:00, 11:00 a. m.; 5:00 p. m.

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Leave Newport for Fall River—*7:15, 8:15, 9:15, 10:15, 11:15 a. m.; 12:15, 1:15, 2:15, 3:15, 4:15, 5:15, 6:15, 7:15, 8:15, 9:15, *10:15 p. m.

* To Portsmouth car house only.
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Providence, arrive,	11:50	3:13	6:50	9:50
Boston, arr.,	1:18	4:30	7:00	11:00
New York, arr.,	4:30	6:57	11:00	B
	P M	P M	P M	P M
LEAVE	A M	A M	A M	P M
New York,	c*12 02	*5 00	*10 02	*1 02
Boston,		10 03	1 03	3 00
Providence,		11 14	2 10	4 15
Newport, arr.,	6 35	1 00	4 00	6 40
	A M	P M	P M	P M

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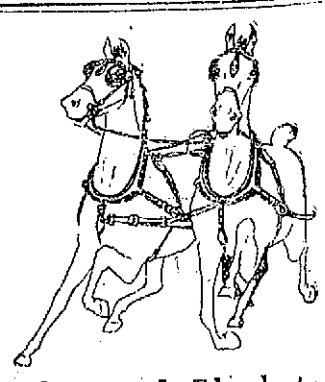

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PORTO RICAN MATTERS

The Tariff Bill Still the Political Storm Centre.

Strong Factor Behind the Measure is the Philippines.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—The Porto Rican tariff bill continues to be the political storm center. When the bill was sent to the senate, the storm went with it, but there are a number of representatives who are still feeling the effects of the storm, whose edges seem to linger about the popular branch of congress. "Who would have thought," asked one member of congress, "that one little island would have kicked up such a devil of a rumpus? Why, it seems as if some people believe that the future of the republic hangs upon the fate of this 15 per cent tariff on Porto Rican products." Now that the contest has been transferred to the senate, there is less uneasiness among the friends of the bill as to its ultimate fate, for no one ventures to predict its defeat, but there is a decided uneasiness among senators as to the effect that the enactment of this bill will have upon their constituents. The letters and telegrams that have been received by Republican senators have shown that the sentiment of the people is now in favor of absolute free trade with Porto Rico and that this sentiment does not seem to be changed as further information concerning the bill and the arguments made in favor of it reach the people.

It Is Really the Philippines.

Although it has been stated before that the Philippines and their products are really behind the Porto Rican bill, there is a phase of the matter not generally known. Republican leaders and farseeing politicians became aware that there was an uneasy feeling among the workingmen. While there was very little fear of an influx of Malay labor, there was a decided impression that in case free trade with the islands should be adopted as a policy large manufacturing establishments would be erected in those islands, and, with the cheap labor to be obtained, competition with American made goods would shut up American mills and deprive the American workingman of employment. This feature of the case was not discussed, but it was well understood to have been a controlling factor in the decision reached upon the Porto Rican bill.

Status of General Wheeler.

General Joseph Wheeler arrived in San Francisco just in time to read the announcement that Oscar W. Underwood had been appointed a member of the ways and means committee. Ever since the beginning of the present session of congress there has been a vacancy on the Democratic side of the committee, it being understood that the place was reserved for General Wheeler, if he should come back and take his place in the house. During the three months there have been rumors that General Wheeler was about to return, and finally he started. Just as he reached this country Speaker Henderson made the appointment of Mr. Underwood. It is a very good selection, as the young Alabama representative is one of the coming men in the house and is already regarded as one of the leaders of his party. But the interesting implication in the appointment is that General Wheeler is not regarded by Speaker Henderson as a member of the house.

Gained Immortality.

Lee Mantle of Montana served four years in the senate. He was also appointed by the governor before that time and was refused a seat. Had he been seated he would have had a six years' service, but he would have failed of the immortality which he is now to have. As long as there is a United States there will be a discussion of the Mantle case. Every time a legislature fails to elect a senator, and the governor appoints, the Mantle case will be discussed. It is like a dozen other cases where the name of the man is used to designate the case, although the man himself has long been lost sight of. That the decision in the Mantle case was close and that it was generally known that the silver question was an important factor in denying Montana a seat and that it did not settle the matter at all are facts that are always brought out when these cases are being cited. Mr. Mantle has been spending a few weeks in Washington and has been very much interested in the Quay case, especially as his own name figures so much in the debates.

Caused Hay Trouble.

The appointment records in congress and the public prints the other day showed that two consuls had been appointed. This is a very small affair, but it created a storm in the department of state. For weeks Secretary Hay has been assaulted by senators and their friends seeking appointments that every consular position was filled. And then followed these appointments. Now, in these particular cases two consuls in Canada wanted to exchange places, and it was necessary to make out new commissions, send their names to the senate and have them confirmed. It was this announcement that filled the state department with members of congress demanding to know why they had been told that there were no vacancies and why it was their men were not appointed. To each and all Mr. Hay wearily explained the situation, at the same time wishing The Congressional Record had been suppressed the day the Canadian consuls were shifted. ARTHUR W. DOXN.

MENU FOR SATURDAY.

Friendship is constant in all other things. —Shakespeare.

Breakfast.

Stewed Figs and Cream.
Cracked Wheat.
Broiled Tenderloin Steak. Fried Potatoes.
Omelet. Toast.
Coffee.

Luncheon.

Mock Oyster Stew in Cups.
Savory Toast. Radishes.
Custard. Cinnamon Cake.
Tea.

Dinner.

Clear Soup with Croutons.
Roast Chicken. Potato Croquettes.
Stewed Tomatoes. Dandelion Salad.
Rhubarb Pie. American Cheese.
Coffee.

Dandelion Salad. Choose the soft centre part of the young dandelions; tear the greens from the stem into small bits. Wash well in cold water two or three times. Dry with a soft towel to remove all moisture. Peel and thinly slice one boiled cold potato and three young onions; mix through the greens. Cut six slices of smoked bacon into dice and broil in a pan on a medium hot stove. Mix a plain oil dressing through the salad and pour the hot bacon and fat over the whole. Serve at once.

MENU FOR SUNDAY.

They can conquer who believe they can.—Dryden.

Breakfast.

Fruit.
Shredded Wheat Biscuits and Cream.
Chicken Croquettes.
Saratoga Chips. Popovers.
Coffee with Scalded Milk.

Dinner.

Cream of Tapioca Soup.
Roast Rib of Beef. Mashed Potatoes.
Asparagus on Toast.
Banana Salad. Lemon Sugar Wafers.
Cheese Fondue. Nuts.
Cafe Noir.

Supper.

Oysters on Half Shell.
Welsh Rarebit.
Brown Bread. Unsalted Butter.
Bonbons. Fruit.
Russian Tea.

Cheese Fondue. Place half a cup of butter and three rounded tablespoonfuls of flour into a double boiler and blend well together; add three rounded tablespoonfuls of grated cheese and one teacupful of milk or cream. Stir 20 minutes and remove from stove to cool. Beat the yolks and whites of three eggs separately; add the yolks to the cold mixture just before baking stir in the beaten whites. Bake in a quick oven 45 minutes and serve immediately when done.

NANSEN THINKS ANDREE IS DEAD.

Herr Fridtjof Nansen has been interviewed by a correspondent. Speaking of the subject of his future plans and the late Andreo, he said that he would leave Christiania May 15, in order to carry out hydrological studies around Iceland for the Norwegian government. A specially constructed vessel has been ordered for this voyage. It will be similar to the Fram, but smaller. The expedition will return in the autumn. In reply to the question: "Do you intend to proceed to the Arctic regions again?" Herr Nansen said that he had certain plans in view which for the present he preferred to keep secret.

As to Andreo, Herr Nansen said: "I believe, as long as possible in his return, making the most liberal allowance of time for his reappearance, but I no longer have any hope. I do not believe that he is living; otherwise we should certainly have heard of him. All that can be looked for now is the recovery of his body."

GROWING LILIES BY ARC LIGHT.

The commercial use of the electric arc in the culture of Easter lilies is shown by M. G. Kains to be quite practicable, but he finds that this light should not be used until the lily buds are an inch long, and that it should then be passed through glass to screen out the ultra-violet rays. In the experiments considered, a dark brown burn appeared on the plants under the naked light. The light was continued nightly for four months, giving plants that were taller and earlier in blossoming, but less robust and with shorter lived flowers, than those grown in the dark.

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FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, March 9, Wall Street—The stock market opened easy, with American Steel at 53½, Atchison preferred 65⅝, Burlington 122½, Continental Tobacco 28⅛, Federal Steel, ex div., 48; Louisville 81, Manhattan 93¾, Missouri Pacific 40⅝, Brooklyn Transit 66¼, Nothern Pacific 52¼, People's Gas 92½, Sugar 96, St. Paul, ex div., 120⅞; Tennessee Coal & Iron 91⅛, Tobacco 108, Union Pacific 43, and Third Avenue 54.

10—There was a sharp decline among the specialties at the opening, which reached two points in the case of Metropolitan and a point in Sugar and Brooklyn Union railway stocks were dragged down a small fraction all round.

11—Metropolitan gave way further to 104 and People's Gas to 92. The general list was not much affected. Rubber preferred lost 2¾, Minneapolis & St. Louis 2½, and Reading second preferred 1⅜. A brisk demand for Third Avenue advanced it 3¼ and there were conspicuous rallies in other issues. Metropolitan recovered two, People's Gas and Sugar 1½, and Tobacco, Brooklyn Transit and Consolidated Gas a point each. Railroad stocks, while firmer, did not generally get up to yesterday's close.

Noon—Money on call, steady, at three per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4½@5½ per cent; sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.86⅛ for demand and $4.82¼@⅜ for 60 days; posted rates, $4.83½@$4 and $4.87@½; commercial bills, $4.81¼@$2¼; silver certificates, 60¼@⅛; bar silver, 59⅞; Mexican dollars, 47¾; government bonds, irregular. Except for sharp variations in Third Avenue, on covering and short sales, there was no feature of note in the second hour's trading. The entire list was almost at a standstill. Bonds were quiet and steady.

NEW YORK, March 9.

	Noon.
Atchison	22¼
Atchison preferred	65¼
Canada Southern	49
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	122¾
C., C., C. & St. Louis	58¾
Delaware & Hudson	114
Delaware, Lackawanna & Western	150
Erie	12¾
Illinois Central	112¼
Lake Shore	194
Louisville & Nashville	81
Manhattan	91¼
Metropolitan Traction	105¼
Missouri Pacific	45
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	10¼
New Jersey Central	115¼
New York Central	133¾
Northern Pacific	52¼
Northern Pacific preferred	73¾
Northwestern	156
Ontario & Western	28¾
Oregon Navigation	42
Reading	17¼
Rock Island	106¾
St. Paul	120¼
St. Paul preferred	172¼
Southern Pacific	37¼
Texas & Pacific	15¼
Union Pacific	48¼
Wabash	6¼
Wheeling & Lake Erie	10¼
Adams Express	111
Wells, Fargo Express	123
American Spirits	8
American Tobacco	103¾
Continental Tobacco	28⅝
Continental Tobacco preferred	88¼
General Electric	127
Lead	23¾
Pacific Mail	37¼
Pullman Palace Car	152
Sugar Refining, Ex. div.	102¾
Tennessee Coal & Iron	92
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Western Union	82¼

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LACK OF LIFE.

Little Interest and No Contests in Democratic Caucuses.

The Democratic caucuses were held in the several wards last evening, but there was no interest of any kind and no contest. In the First ward 11 votes were cast, in the Second 11, and in the Third ward 9. The largest number of voters was out in the Fourth, where 70 ballots was the largest number put in the box, and the Fifth was next, with 56. There was but one set of printed ballots in each ward, and in the Second and Third wards there was no scratching.

First Ward.

In the First ward there was a marked difference between the Republican caucus of Tuesday night and that of the Democrats on this occasion. There were no workers and no carriages, and very many less Democrats than at the Republican caucus. At times the warden, clerk and policeman were the only persons in the wardroom, and at other times one of the candidates joined the throng. In all 11 votes were cast, all the candidates except two receiving the full strength of the vote. These two were Donato Russo and Bernard Hackett, against whom some one evidently had a grudge for some reason unexplained. The result of the balloting was as follows:

Delegates—Michael F. Leary, Donato Russo, James Goldie, Bernard Hackett, William H. Sullivan.

City Committee—Michael F. Leary, Donato Russo, James Goldie, Bernard Hackett, William H. Sullivan.

Caucus Warden—William H. Corcoran.

Caucus Clerk—William J. Christmas.

Second Ward.

In the Second ward there was the same apathy as in the First. The officials had a weary time waiting for voters to deposit their ballots, and in the two and a half hours fixed by law for the holding of the caucus only 11 appeared. They were all of the same mind, and deposited the printed ballots without a scratch. The result is as follows:

Delegates—Frank F. Nolan, James B. Cottrell, Jr., J. Frank Albro, M. F. O'Sullivan, P. J. Murphy.

City Committee—Frank F. Nolan, Clarence J. Greenson, P. J. Murphy, Michael Dynan, J. Frank Albro.

Caucus Warden—A. F. O'Connor.

Caucus Clerk—George Dillon.

Third Ward.

There was a rush for outside seats at this ward, and during the entire evening the monotony was so strong that it is a wonder the warden and clerk were able to hold out. However, they succeeded in pulling through, though both were probably asleep when the clock said 9:30, for though the vote was microscopic and the wardroom the nearest to the City Hall, the ward was the last to get its returns to the city clerk's office. The warden and clerk both voted, and there were just seven others, and all voted straight. There was not even a policeman on hand a portion of the time. The result of the vote was as follows:

Delegates—Lewis Brown, Joseph Graham, P. J. Boyle, P. R. Condon, P. F. Schneider.

Warden—Max Muenchinger.

Clerk—John H. Cottrell.

City committee—Lewis Brown, Joseph Graham, P. J. Boyle, P. R. Condon, Philip F. Schneider.

Fourth Ward.

There was some knifing done in this ward, for various reasons, largely perhaps because there was some dissatisfaction with the slate prepared by somebody, and conveyed to the voters on the ballot. At any rate, there was more cutting, scratching and lead pencil work in this ward than in all others combined. After the voters were through with their work the ward officials proceeded to say that the men nominated as members of the city committee had been elected delegates to the convention, and vice versa. This was perhaps because the names of the city committee were placed on the top of the ballot, while the blanks prepared for the filing of returns put the delegates to the convention first. The results, according to the warden's returns, are as follows; the real results can be ascertained by changing the headings:

Delegates—John E. Leddy, 70; Louis Shanteler, 69; Michael J. Burns, 68; John T. Flood, 71; Stephen S. Carr, 68; James Lacey, 1.

Warden—Louis James, 68.

Clerk—James A. Nolan, 63; Benjamin Carter, 6.

City Committee—Thomas G. Williams, 66; Charles H. Koehne, Jr., 70; Louis Shanteler, 69; John E. Leddy, 70; Michael J. Burns, 67; Charles Wahlgren, 3; James Lacey, 1; Daniel Shea, 1.

Fifth Ward.

There was an impromptu case of heart disease in this ward. At 7 o'clock, the time for opening the caucus, the warden had not appeared. It was thought possible by those present that the warden had worked so hard Tuesday night for the Republican ticket which failed to get elected that he was probably at home asleep, trying to recuperate; so a messenger was sent for him, and some time after the hour—about ten minutes is generally accepted as being right—the warden appeared and business began. The workers were on hand—perhaps it should be said the machine workers, for they did not know but the opposition was running a dark horse the same as the Republicans had done Tuesday. After the first run things became quiet, though some of the workers remained to the very close, to be ready for any surprise; but there was no surprise. There were just 56 votes cast and all were cast for the straight ticket, which was as follows:

Delegates—James Sullivan, James J. Martin, Michael P. Vaughn, Alexander O'Hanley, Patrick Comboeney.

Warden—Michael P. Eagan.

Clerk—Paul J. Murphy.

City Committee—Michael F. Kelly, Patrick J. Sullivan, Michael J. Murphy, Jeremiah T. Sullivan, J. Joseph M. Martin.

TWO NEW MEN.

Otherwise the Republicans Named the Old Legislative Ticket.

The Republican city convention was held at the State House last evening. There were a few spectators, including several of prominence in the Democratic party. The convention was called to order by Chairman R. P. Hamilton of the city committee, and William Hamilton was elected temporary chairman and Dr. Frederick Bradley temporary secretary.

The delegates presented their certificates and there was found to be but one vacancy, in the First ward delegation, and William H. King was named for the place and accepted by the convention. The roll of the convention was as follows:

First ward—William Hamilton, William S. Rogers, Ferdinand A. Cornell, Samuel H. Oxx, William H. King.

Second ward—Henry W. Clarke, George L. Ferrin, Charles S. Landers, George B. Field, Joseph T. Ray.

Third ward—William P. Buffum, Frederick Bradley, William H. Langley, George H. Wilbar, E. C. Holloway.

Fourth ward—William F. Smith, James E. Gregg, Mahlon A. Van Horne, Francis N. Fullerton, Robert H. McIntosh.

Fifth ward—James McLeish, William W. Murrel, A. Livingston Mason, Robert Laurie, John Mahan.

The temporary organization was made permanent, and the first business was the nomination of an Assembly ticket.

Henry W. Clarke nominated J. W.

J. W. HORTON.
Re-nominated for Senator.

Horton for senator, and he was the unanimous choice of the convention.

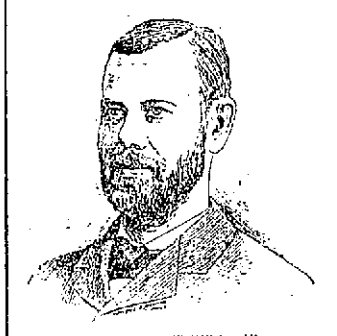
Charles S. Landers nominated William P. Sheffield, Jr., for first representative, and he also was unanimously nominated.

William S. Rogers nominated John H. Wetherell for second representative, and there was no opposition to his nomination.

For third representative F. A. Cornell nominated William Shepley and Mr. Landers nominated George E. Vernon. A ballot was taken, Messrs. Landers and Oxx being appointed tellers, and resulted as follows: G. E. Vernon, 20; William Shepley, 5, and Mr. Vernon was nominated.

For fourth representative William Shepley was nominated by Mr. Cornell and the nomination was seconded by Mr. Landers. There was no opposition for this place and Mr. Shepley was unanimously chosen.

George L. Ferrin nominated Paul A. Andrews for fifth representative and Mr. Rogers nominated N. Thomas Hodson. Tellers were again appointed and the ballot resulted as follows: Paul A. An-



W. P. SHEFFIELD, JR.
Re-nominated for First Representative.

drews, 19; N. Thomas Hodson, 5—and Mr. Andrews was the nominee of the convention.

The next business was the election of 18 delegates to the state convention. It was voted that each ward delegation select three names and that three delegates-at-large be selected by the convention. The delegates chosen were as follows:

First ward—Robert P. Hamilton, Ferdinand A. Cornell, William H. King.

Second ward—George L. Ferrin, Charles S. Landers, Charles F. D. Fayerweather.

Third ward—Harwood E. Read, George H. Wilbar, William P. Buffum.

Fourth ward—William H. Hammett, Francis N. Fullerton, M. A. Van Horne.

Fifth ward—James McLeish, A. Livingston Mason, Robert Laurie.

At large—William G. Landers, Robert S. Gash, William R. Johnson.

It was voted that the delegates to the state convention also represent the city in the district convention.

William G. Landers was selected as a member of the state central committee.

The delegates were authorized to fill any vacancy that may exist in their number and the convention adjourned.

Of the nominees on the legislative ticket, Messrs. J. W. Horton, William P. Sheffield, Jr., John H. Wetherell and George E. Vernon are members of the present delegation. William Shepley, the nominee for fourth representative, is the present alderman from the Second ward and served one term in the General Assembly, having been defeated for re-nomination in the Republican convention a year ago. Paul A. Andrews, the nominee for fourth representative, is a new man in local politics. He is a son of Mr. Frank W. Andrews, a well known summer resident, and has made Newport his legal residence for only a few years past. He has recently formed a partnership with Creighton Withers, as an architect.

Of the present delegation in the legislature two members were not re-nominated. One of these is John H. Crosby, a Democrat, who defeated the Republican candidate, Godfrey Moffitt, a year ago by a narrow margin. The other is John P. Sanborn, who has served the Republican party in various capacities for many years, and would, it was generally supposed, be re-nominated. His name was not even mentioned in the convention and this action by the delegates has created much surprise and considerable feeling among his friends in the party and throughout the city.

AROUND RHODE ISLAND.

The manufacture of gum overshoes at the factory of the National India Rubber Company at Bristol has temporarily ceased, leaving from three to four hundred hands idle. The number of pairs being made daily for many weeks past was 6,000. It is probable that the manufacture of these goods will not be resumed until next month. Quite an amount is now stored owing to the unfavorable rubber weather during the

JOHN H. WETHERELL.
Re-nominated for Second Representative.

winter. The factory has been operated very steadily for a long time. Six thousand pairs of lawn tennis shoes are being turned out daily. The manufacture of clothing, hose, belts and druggists' articles is quite brisk. There is usually a shutdown in the factory at this time of year. The superintendents and foremen of the Byfield rubber factory at Bristol are engaged in taking a general account of the stock on hand.

Official notice has been served upon the representative of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company of the passage of the resolution by the Providence City Council ordering the rails of that company out of India street, and yesterday notices were served upon other companies of which the Consolidated road is the lessee. The resolution provides that the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, Old Colony, Providence & Worcester and New York Providence & Boston railroad companies shall be officially notified of the council's action,

GEORGE E. VERNON.
Nominated for Third Representative.

and Clerk Hayden will present the representatives of each of these roads with a certified copy of the resolution.

After an illness of a little more than two months, Mrs. Mary E. Rawson died Wednesday night in Providence. She was perhaps the most widely known music teacher in that city. For the past 30 years she had given instruction in piano and voice at the Friends' School, in numerous private schools and to private pupils, while for 15 years previous to that she taught music in the public schools. She took an especial interest in Sunday school music and had led the singing in various Sunday schools, including Grace Church and the Central Congregational. She was one of the first members of the Arion Club and had sung in all the concerts up to the last one given by that organization, with few exceptions. The Glee Club connected with the Rhode Island Women's Club owes much to Mrs. Rawson, who was one of its originators. For 20 years she sang in the choir at Grace Church, of which she was a member. Mrs. Rawson was born in Providence 62 years ago next month and had always lived there. Mrs. Rawson came of a family of army people. Her father was General James Shaw, while her brother, after inheriting his father's name, achieved his title as well, becoming a second General James Shaw. Another brother, who died two years ago, was Captain Richard Shaw, who had a brevet rank of major. She married Captain Anthony Richmond Rawson, who saw active service in the civil war and died soon after from illness contracted in the service.

It is assured that Pawtucket will be represented by a strong independent team on the diamond the coming season, plans

WILLIAM SHEPLEY.
Nominated for Fourth Representative.

with this object in view being quietly arranged by several well known promoters of the game. The clubs in the Attleboros are anxious to have Pawtucket in a triangular series the coming season, and there is no doubt that there would be renewed interest provided the scheme is successfully carried out. The Attleboro club has appointed a committee to confer with Pawtucket men interested in the movement and a conference to discuss details will be held within a few days.

Silkworms, in Flammarion's experiments, have attained their maximum production of silk in white light, the next in the purple of the red end of the spectrum, and a minimum in blue light. In blue rays the males produced reach 63 per cent. The red rays favor the production of females, and also their fertility, twice as many eggs being laid as in the blue light.

ABRAM A. TILLEY.

Death of a Former Alderman and Well Known Citizen.

Mr. Abram A. Tilley died shortly after 6 o'clock last evening at his home on Summer street. He had been confined at his home only a few weeks, and Tuesday submitted to an operation in the hope of at least prolonging his life. At first there was an improvement that gave encouragement of recovery, but the hopes thus re-kindled were not of long duration.

Mr. Tilley was born in Newport 48 years ago, son of the late Abraham H. Tilley and one of a family of eight children, one brother, Herbert C. Tilley, and three sisters, Mrs. George Nason, Mrs. John M. Pople and Mrs. Edna C. Chase, surviving. Mr. Tilley received his education in the public schools of Newport and was employed in his father's establishment until about 20 years ago, when he opened a meat and provision store on Broadway, which he conducted, with a short intermission, until his death. A few years ago he established the Newport Hygienic Ice and Water Company, of which he was president, building a large plant near Green End for the harvesting of ice and the production of water by means of artesian wells.

Mr. Tilley was a member of the board of aldermen in 1894-6, representing the Second ward and serving on the finance, public property and ordinance committees. He was a prominent member of the First Baptist Church, being at the time of his death church clerk and a member of the standing and other committees, and had been for several years superintendent of the Sunday school. He was a member of Coronet Council, Royal Arcanum, and was formerly a member of the Newport Business Men's Association.

Fond of singing, he had been at various times connected with the choirs of Zion, the United Congregational and First Baptist churches, and had taken prominent parts in a number of cantatas, especially in the performances of "Queen Esther," where his bass voice was heard to advantage.

He married a daughter of Mr. Joshua C. Brown, and the widow and three daughters survive him. The oldest of these, Miss Jennie Tilley, has resided for several years in Providence; the second, Mary, is the wife of Mr. Charles Ullman of this city, and the youngest, Edna, remains at home.

THE LIVERMORE BABY CHRISTENED.

Gladys Josephine Livermore was the name bestowed upon the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Livermore yesterday afternoon in Trinity Chapel, West Twenty-fifth street, New York. The baby was accompanied by her parents, her grandparents, who are Mr. and Mrs. H. Mortimer Brooks, Mrs. John O'Brien, Dr. and Mrs. William M. Polk and Frank Lyon Polk. Rev. Dr. W. H. Vibbert, rector of the chapel, performed the christening. Mrs. Brooks held the little one and acted as proxy for Mrs. Clarence Mackay, godmother. Frank Polk was proxy godfather for Eugene Higgins, an uncle of Mrs. Livermore.

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